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IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

GREAT COUNCIL OF PENNSYLVANIA.

PHILADELPHIA, 18*th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D.* 379.

The Great Council of Pennsylvania, Improved Order of Red Men, assembled in regular session, at Pocahontas Wigwam, N. W. corner of Fourth and Walnut Streets. Council fire kindled in ample form, at the 7th run. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

CHARLES C. CONLEY—Great Sachem.
ADAM SCHUH—Great Senior Sagamore.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Junior Sagamore.
SAMUEL WEAVER—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
SAMUEL B. TAYLOR—Great Sannap.
FREDERICK F. SNYDER—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

Certificates of the following Representatives read, and the brothers duly acknowledged:—

Joseph M. Gregory, No. 4, in place of James N. Cox; William Kuhn, No. 12; W. W. Waitneight, No. 13; Hugh Hatton, No. 29; M. V. B. Musselman, No. 33, in place of J. W. Herbert; Jas. B. Zeigler, No. 37, in place of Philip H. Amig; George McNall, No. 41; H. Y. Friling, No. 69;

William Webb, No. 94, in place of John Birks; Andrew Shaw, No. 100; George Metzel, D. C. No. 2, in place of John Hays; John Benkert, D. C. No. 3.

Roll of Representatives called. Present:—

Weber,	No.	1	Eckert,	No.	49
Brown,	"	2	Baer,	"	50
Gregory,	"	4	McGowan,	"	51
Feldman,	"	5	Rulon,	"	52
Bisbing,	"	7	Thwaite,	"	53
Campernel,	"	8	Brady,	"	59
Mayfarth,	"	14	Essig,	"	61
Scheitz,	"	15	Martin,	"	62
Bache,	"	17	Cornman,	"	63
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Else,	"	28	Aten,	"	77
Rodbard,	"	30	Taylor,	"	79
Best,	"	32	Thomas,	"	82
Musselman,	"	33	Shallcross,	"	83
Zink,	"	35	Ohl,	"	84
Zeigler,	"	37	James,	"	90
Higman,	"	38	Greives,	"	91
McGinnis.	"	39	Decker,	"	93
McNall,	"	41	Fite,	"	104
Sims,	"	43	Clymer, D. C.	"	1
Schuh,	"	44	Metzel, "	"	2
Abel,	"	48	Benkert, "	"	3

The G. C. of R. proceeded to read the record of the regular session.

Rep. Eckert moved the further reading of the record be dispensed with, and that it be adopted as printed, which was agreed to.

Record of the special session (1st of Corn Moon,) read and adopted.

Certificates of the transfer of P. G. S. J. F. Madeira from No. 4 to No. 70, and of P. S. Curtis Roberts from No. 1 of Delaware to No. 1 of this jurisdiction, were read and approved.

Rep. Brown, No. 2, presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the sessions of this Great Council commence at the 9th run rising of the sun, and at the 1st run 30th breath and 7th run 30th breath setting of the sun, closing at the 12th run high sun, and at the 5th run 30th breath and 10th run setting of the sun, respectively.

Communication from Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, inviting the Great Council to attend a grand regalia ball, to be given in their honor, on the 19th sleep, was read, and on motion accepted.

G. I. James A. Parsons being announced in waiting, P. G. I. Cameron and P. G. S. Knipe were appointed to introduce the brother.

Applications for charters for Tribes at Scranton, Mauch Chunk, Ashland, Carlisle, Philipsburg, Plymouth, and Brookville, and for the restoration of the charter to Susquehanna Tribe, No. 12, were read and referred to the following committee: P. G. S. Knipe, No. 18, P. S.'s Wilhelm, No. 54, and Walker, No. 49.

Communication from Narraganset Tribe, No. 43, relative to a decision of the Great Council (page 368 record of last annual session), was read.

P. S. Probasco moved it be referred to the Representatives to the Great Council of the United States, which was adopted —ayes 58; nays 2.

On motion, the G. C. of R. was directed to procure additional badges for Representatives, up to No. 125.

Certificates of Past Sachems read, and the following being in waiting were admitted to membership in the Great Council:—

John H. Hartzel,	No.	1	Robert C. Smith,	No.	20
John Kuntz,	"	1	Robert H. Kinkead,	"	26
George DeHaan,	"	7	Stephen Humphries,	"	26
Beverly Copes,	"	7	Joseph Bryan,	"	27
W. W. Waitneight,	"	13	George W. Fiss,	"	27
Herman Hildebrand,	"	14	Peter Goff,	"	29
Charles Tschan,	"	14	John Packwood,	"	29
Samuel Wright,	"	19	Hugh Hatton,	"	29

John White,	No. 30	W. J. Ferguson,	No. 70
Isaac C. Beek,	" 30	Ellis Ewell,	" 70
George W. Hickey,	" 33	Jacob B. Weber,	" 73
Joseph J. Bateman,	" 33	Pulaski Guyger,	" 73
Wm. Cline,	" 38	Wm. H. Bornman,	" 76
David R. Hood,	" 43	Wm. L. Zane,	" 84
Wm. Parr,	" 43	Wm. Mathues,	" 86
James F. Mullen,	" 47	C. W. Mathues,	" 86
J. C. Pannapacker,	" 48	Francis B. Black,	" 87
Davis Casselberry,	" 48	George Angus,	" 90
Alfred P. Mason,	" 49	Wilson Failor,	" 91
John W. Weaver,	" 50	Wm. Webb,	" 94
Joseph B. Hoffner,	" 51	Andrew Shaw,	" 100
James Doole,	" 52	Joseph H. Stoner,	" 104
W. F. Cunningham	" 68	John Phillips,	" 107

Certificates were received of the following Past Sachems, who were absent:—

John Ochs,	No. 2	Elijah Burnell,	No. 63
John P. Shepard,	" 4	Wm. W. Woods,	" 65
Lewis Bernhardt,	" 5	James H. Patton,	" 67
August U. Firefile,	" 8	J. J. Hight,	" 68
Wm. Kuhn,	" 12	Henry Y. Fryling,	" 69
Emor K. Ramsey,	" 13	Cornelius Fecker,	" 69
Michael Klein,	" 15	James L. Brown,	" 71
Adam Burger,	" 17	Philip Bussue,	" 72
D. P. Rosenmiller,	" 22	Oliver H. Jackson,	" 74
F. D. Green,	" 28	John Kutz,	" 75
Lewis F. Pennock,	" 32	John C. Millhouse,	" 77
Wm. Alexander,	" 35	George Plitt,	" 78
Jerry P. Madsen,	" 37	Job S. Williams,	" 79
John Graham,	" 38	J. H. Morrison,	" 80
George Young,	" 39	Richard Wittenderfer,	" 85
John Deitrick,	" 42	Charles R. Yarnall,	" 86
Joseph Moyer,	" 49	T. W. Morley,	" 88
Philip C. Fisher,	" 52	Josiah M. Jones,	" 93
George H. Buck,	" 53	C. R. Crisman,	" 97
Joel Fielding,	" 56	Levi A. Himes,	" 99
Henry Sholl,	" 59	G. F. Lidy,	" 101
John Raab,	" 60	W. A. Magonagle,	" 102
John Dinger,	" 61	Philip B. Weil,	" 103
Hamilton H. Kain,	" 62		

P. G. I. Paxon Coates, of Ohio, being announced in waiting, P. G. S.'s Stewart and Eckert were appointed a committee to introduce the brother.

Great Sachem read the following report:—

GREAT SACHEM'S REPORT.

PHILADELPHIA, 18th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania,
Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND REPRESENTATIVES: With pleasure I greet you. We have been permitted by the Great Spirit to assemble again around our Great Council fire, and we humbly trust and ask that he will, in his infinite wisdom, guide us all in the right path, so that all we may here transact shall redound to the advancement and glory of our respceted and honorable Fraternity.

DEATH.

On the 30th of Sturgeon Moon, I received a telegraphic dispatch from D. G. S. Joel H. Weber, of Tecumseh Tribe, No. 1, announcing the death P. G. S. JOHN FRY. I immediately requested G. C. of R. Baker to call a special session of the Great Council, for the purpose of taking proper action on his death. The Great Council was convened on the sleep of the 2d sun of Corn Moon, when it was resolved that a committee of fifteen members of the Great Council be appointed to attend the funeral, from the late Past Great Sachem's wigwam, in Norristown, and pay the proper respect to his memory! P. G. S. John Fry was the first Great Sachem of this Great Council, and for a number of great suns was an active worker in the good cause. Let us believe that he has ascended to the happy hunting grounds of the Great Spirit, and treasure forever in our Order his good name.

On the sleep of the 8th sun of Hunting Moon, the Great Spirit called from these hunting grounds brother P. S. JOHN CARTER, of Wyoming Tribe, No. 7. Brother Carter was for many great suns an energetic, worthy member of the Order, and at various times held high positions in its councils. He had not only there distinguished himself, but he had endeared himself to all who were so happy as to be intimately associated with him, by his genial temperament and urbane manner. His Tribe has lost a noble chief, and the Order a worthy brother.

INSTITUTION OF TRIBES.

On the 27th of Sturgeon Moon, an application for a charter was received from two brothers and thirty-nine pale faces, residing in the City of Scranton. A dispensation was granted, and the Tribe instituted on the sleep of the 5th of Travelling Moon, by myself, G. C. of R. Baker, P. S.'s Aten, of No. 77, and Birks, of No. 94, assisted by a number of brothers of those Tribes, under the name of "Navajo Tribe, No. 105," and the following chiefs raised up: Sachem, N. C. Gregory; S. S., J. H. Burtch;

J. S., J. T. Howe; C. of R., Charles B. Hopkins; K. of W., Jacob Flory; Prophet, James E. Kressler.

On the 10th of Corn Moon, an application was received from twenty pale faces, residing in Mauch Chunk. The Tribe was instituted by G. C. of R. Baker, P. S. Ohl, of No. 84, and myself, assisted by several members of Saranac Tribe, No. 84, on the 11th of Travelling Moon, under the name of "Chingachqook Tribe, No. 106," and the following chiefs raised up: Sachem, Newton H. Bieber; S. S., Andrew Elliott; J. S., Wm. H. Noble; C. of R., Jacob Sandel; K. of W., Joseph S. Collins; Prophet, Simon Smith.

On the 16th of Corn Moon, an application was received from eighty-five pale faces, residing in Ashland, Schuylkill County. The Tribe was instituted by myself, G. G. of F. Donnalley, D. C. S. Thomas, and a number of the members of Nos. 41 and 90, on the 28th of Corn Moon, under the name of "Saukie Tribe, No. 107," and the following chiefs raised up: Sachem, John Phillips; S. S., Joseph Phillips; J. S., Wm. F. Davis; C. of R., Theophilus J. Lewis; K. of W., Watkin Powel; Prophet, Reese T. Davis.

On the 28th of Corn Moon, an application was received from six brothers and thirty-five pale faces, residing in Carlisle. A dispensation was granted, and the Tribe instituted on the 18th of Travelling Moon, by myself, assisted by G. S. S. Schuh, D. G. S. Fredericks, and several brothers of Cornplanter Tribe, No. 61, under the name of "Conedogwinit Tribe, No. 108." The following chiefs were raised up: Sachem, F. C. Kramer; S. S., C. C. Faber; J. S., Wm. Elmer; C. of R., John Yaisor; K. of W., John Liszman; Prophet, John Dorner.

On the 28th of Corn Moon, an application was received from one brother and thirty-nine pale faces, residing in Philipsburg, Centre County. The Tribe was instituted by G. C. of R. Baker, P. S. Boyer, of No. 67, and myself, assisted by several brothers of Bald Eagle Tribe, No. 102, on the 20th of Travelling Moon, under the name of "Red Warrior Tribe, No. 109." The following chiefs were raised up: Sachem, H. C. Warfel; S. S., George H. Ziegler; J. S., Hugh F. Copelin; C. of R., Charles H. Butler; K. of W., Theo. F. Vanscoyac; Prophet, John S. Funk.

On the 1st of Travelling Moon, an application was received from sixteen pale faces, residing in Plymouth, Luzerne County. The Tribe was instituted by myself, G. C. of R. Baker, P. S. Fritz, of No. 92, and a number of brothers of Nos. 92, 94, and 105, on the 6th of Travelling Moon, under the name of "Lackawanna Tribe, No. 110." The following chiefs were raised up: Sachem, Benjamin Walters; S. S., D. E. Frantz; J. S., Edward Meredith; C. of R., G. W. Patterson; K. of W., Wm. Ely; Prophet, Nicholas G. Downs.

On the 23d of Beaver Moon, an application was received from nine brothers and one pale face, residing in Brookville, Jefferson County. A dispensation was granted, and D. G. S. Richard was authorized to institute the Tribe, which duty he performed on the 6th of Cold Moon, assisted by

members of Malaeska Tribe, No. 97. The Tribe was instituted under the name of "Minnehaha Tribe, No. 111," and the following chiefs raised up: Sachem, Samuel J. Fryer; S. S., J. T. Carroll; J. S., David A. Henderson; C. of R., John McMurray; K. of W., Thomas L. Templeton; Prophet, O. H. Brown.

On the 16th of Hunting Moon, an application, signed by five of the members, three brothers, and eighteen pale faces, was received, asking for the restoration of the charter to Susquehanna Tribe, No. 12. A dispensation was granted, and the Tribe reinstituted by myself, G. C. of R. Baker, D. G. S. Frederick, P. S. Essig, of No. 61, and Schultz and Greives, of No. 91, assisted by a number of members of Cornplanter Tribe, No. 61, and Octoraro Tribe, No. 91, on the 23d of Hunting Moon. The following chiefs were raised up: Sachem, Joshua D. Baker; S. S., Samuel Matt. Friday; J. S., Jacob Bletz; C. of R., Samuel Ake; K. of W., D. A. Bolt; Prophet, P. S. Wm. Kuhn.

On the 24th of Hunting Moon, a special session of No. 12 was called, when I gave the Tribe full instructions in the unwritten work, degrees, &c.

DISPENSATIONS.

On the 30th of Buck Moon, I granted a dispensation to Uncas Tribe, No. 101, of Waynesboro', to hold a pic-nic. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 2d of Sturgeon Moon, I granted a dispensation to Wyalusing Tribe, No. 56, of Falls of Schuylkill, to hold a pic-nic. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 13th of Sturgeon Moon, I granted a dispensation to Pequod Tribe, No. 18, to give an excursion to Atlantic City, on the 23d of the same moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 13th of Sturgeon Moon, I granted a dispensation to Pequod Tribe, No. 18, to appear in regalia on the same sleep, to present a testimonial to Cohocksink Tent, Daughters of the Forest, in return for their kindness and generous gift of a handsome banner.

On the 4th of Corn Moon, I granted a dispensation to Chattahoochee Tribe, No. 17, to confer the Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees on the same sleep upon brother Asher S. Leidy. (Fee, one fathom five feet, paid.)

On the 13th of Corn Moon, I granted a dispensation to Sioux Tribe, No. 87, to confer the Hunter's and Warrior's degrees upon brother Wm. Naylor. (Fee, one fathom, paid.)

On the 19th of Corn Moon, I granted a dispensation to Idaho Tribe, No. 73, to confer the Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees upon brother H. S. Gross. (Fee, one fathom five feet, paid.)

On the 27th of Corn Moon, I granted a dispensation to Cherokee Tribe, No. 19, to give a regalia and citizens' dress festival, on the 10th of Beaver Moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 28th of Corn Moon, I granted a dispensation to Mohegan Tribe, No. 27, to give an annual festival, on the 18th of Beaver Moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 2d of Travelling Moon, I granted a dispensation to Nevada Tribe, No. 76, to give an anniversary in their wigwam, on the 3d of Beaver Moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 3d of Travelling Moon, I received a letter from T. B. Richard, D. G. S. for Clarion, for a dispensation to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother O. H. Brown. I returned the fee, and authorized the brother to grant the dispensation.

On the 18th of Travelling Moon, I granted a dispensation to Chattahoochee Tribe, No. 17, to confer the Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees upon brother Henry Kloher. (Fee, one fathom five feet, paid.)

On the 25th of Travelling Moon, I granted a dispensation to Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, to give a regalia ball in honor of the Great Council, on the 19th of Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 25th of Travelling Moon, I granted a dispensation to Penobscot Tribe, No. 70, to give a ball, on the 3d of Beaver Moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 28th of Travelling Moon, I granted a dispensation to Absaraka Tribe, No. 104, to remove their wigwam from Cedar Hall to the Commissioners' Hall, West Philadelphia, and to change the sleep of kindling the council fire, from Thursday to Tuesday.

On the 13th of Beaver Moon, I granted a dispensation to Wissahickon Tribe, No. 32, to give a festival, on the 17th of Beaver Moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 29th of Beaver Moon, I granted a dispensation to Wyoming Tribe, No. 7, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother Joseph H. Pawling. (Fee, one fathom, paid.)

On the 29th of Beaver Moon, I granted a dispensation to Chippewa Tribe, No. 51, to give a ball, on the 15th of Hunting Moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 6th of Hunting Moon, I granted a dispensation to Pequod Tribe, No. 18, to confer the Chief's degree upon brother Thomas H. Newman. (Fee, five feet, paid.)

On the 27th of Hunting Moon, I granted a dispensation to Miquon Tribe, No. 50, to confer the Chief's degree upon brother Washington Hansbury. (Fee, five feet, paid.)

On the 28th of Hunting Moon, I granted a dispensation to Pequod Tribe, No. 18, to give a festival, on the 29th of Hunting Moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 4th of Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379, I granted a dispensation to Sioux Tribe, No. 87, to remove their wigwam from Second and Pine to Jefferson Hall, Sixth and Christian Streets, and returned to them one fathom of wampum, which they had sent as a dispensation fee.

APPEALS AND DECISIONS.

Upon the 22d of Buck Moon, I received the following protest:—

GERMANTOWN, 21st Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 378.

To the Great Sachem, Chiefs and Brethren of the Great Council.

WHEREAS, Seminole Tribe, No. 30, Imp'd O. of R. M., has for some time been adopting pale faces for a less sum than three fathoms, and have been endeavoring to evade the law by trusting said pale faces until such time as they should be unable to follow the hunt to the amount of one-half the adoption fee, we do hereby protest against such action as being detrimental to the best interests of the Tribe and to the Order; as quite a number that are thus adopted come in merely to satisfy their curiosity and never pay anything but the one-half adoption fee first charged; and further, those that do pay do not feel that interest in the welfare of the Tribe that they would did it cost them more; but we have observed that on subjects of vital importance they vote and act from mere personal feelings, without regard to the best interests of the Order; we further contend, that they having been illegally admitted cannot legally take part in the action of the Tribe, as they are and do appear by the books to be more than three moons in arrears, therefore being deprived, according to our By-Laws, from taking part in the proceedings of the Tribe (See Art. XVI, By-Laws); and whereas, we have appealed to the Tribe for redress, and they will not regard our request, we do appeal to your honorable body for such redress and satisfaction that you in your judgment may deem best.

Yours, in F., F., and C.,
E. MARKLEY. *P. S.*
J. R. BUTCHER, *P. S.*

The following was forwarded on the 30th of Buck Moon, 378:—

Chiefs and Members of Seminole Tribe, No. 30.

A communication has been received from two Past Sachems, members of your Tribe, charging that the Tribe has been adopting pale faces for a less sum than is allowed by your Constitution and By-Laws, and pretending to evade the laws by trusting them a portion of the fee.

The matter having been laid before the Great Chiefs, they have unanimously decided that every pale face must pay *in full* the fee required by the Constitution and By-Laws at the time of his adoption, and you are hereby commanded to strictly carry out the above decision in the future.

And you are further commanded and directed to at *once charge to and collect from* any and all members the *balance* of the *adoption* fee due by them.

It is hoped and desired by the Great Chiefs that you will promptly comply with the above commands.

Very truly and fraternally yours, in F., F., and C.,
CHARLES C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

On the 30th of Sturgeon Moon, I received the following:—

GERMANTOWN, 19th Sun, Sturgeon Moon, G. S. D. 378.

Great Chiefs of the Imp'd O. R. M.

SIRS AND BROTHERS: I am instructed by Seminole Tribe, No. 30, to inform you that your communication in reference to the charge made against the Tribe by two of our Past Sachems, in regard to the adoption of pale faces, was duly received and filed, and that the Tribe intends to comply with the decision and commands of the Great Chiefs. The Tribe also directed the A. C. of R. to notify all brothers indebted to the Tribe for part of the adoption fee to pay up by the end of this quarter, and to inform them of the reason for so doing.

Yours in F., F., and C.,

[SEAL.] F. RODBARD, *C. of R.*

On the 31st sun of Travelling Moon, I received an appeal from P. S. John W. Herbert against the decision of his Tribe (Wingohocking No. 33), in suspending him for three great suns. I handed the document to the Board of Appeals, on the 1st sun of Beaver Moon.

On the 9th sun of Beaver Moon, I received an appeal from P. S. Wm. R. Hartman against the decision of his Tribe (Otsego, No. 59), in expelling him. I handed the documents on the following sun to the Board of Appeals. On the 4th sun of the present moon, I received a number of other documents from the late brother Hartman, which I also handed over to the Board.

In the early part of Sturgeon Moon, I received a document from several brothers of Seminole Tribe, No. 30, protesting against the action of their Tribe, in voting two hundred fathoms from their Belt, for the benefit of brother John Reckard, in a manner, as they state, without the members of the Tribe being apprised of such an important drain upon their Wampum Belt. I laid the communication before the Great Chiefs, and after due consideration we determined that we had no authorized power or law to direct us what action to pursue; but concluded to send the following recommendation and advice:—

PHILADELPHIA, 13th Sturgeon Moon, G. S. D. 378.

Chiefs and Brothers of Seminole Tribe, No. 30, Imp'd O. R. M.

WHEREAS, a communication has been received from five members of your Tribe, protesting against the action of the Tribe at its last council, in hastily, and without due notice to the members, voting the sum of two hundred fathoms for the relief of one of your members, the Great Chiefs, after a careful consideration of the subject, have come to the unanimous conclusion to fraternally recommend and advise the Tribe to reconsider their action in this matter, and to give full and fair notice to your members of the intention to consider the proposition of said donation or relief. The chiefs of the Tribe are also requested to withhold said order, and the

K. of W. is requested not to pay the same until further orders from the Tribe.

It is sincerely hoped that the Tribe will see the propriety of acceding to the above recommendation, as you will thereby remove all just cause of complaint on the part of any one.

Very truly and fraternally yours,

CHARLES C. CONLEY, *G. S.*
ANDREW J. BAKER, *G. C. R.*

We are pleased to report that the above was received in a true fraternal manner, and the Tribe followed the advice, and at a large meeting, duly called, ratified their former action. The papers, *pro* and *con*, on this subject are too voluminous to be placed in this report; but are ready for the investigation of your Committee.

On the 30th sun of Buck Moon, I received a communication from P. S. Isaac B. Rich, of Seneca Tribe, No. 41.

Question.—Can our Senior Sagamore be raised up to the position of Sachem, or must he serve his term as Senior to make him eligible. It is expected our Sachem's stump will be vacated?

Answer.—Under the circumstances the Senior Sagamore can be raised up to the Sachem's stump.

On the 19th sun of Sturgeon Moon, I received the following communication from C. of R. E. Conrads, of Mattawana Tribe, No. 71:—

First Question.—Can the Sachem of a Tribe accept the resignation of any brother holding an office, elective or appointed, or does the Tribe take action on the resignation?

First Answer.—I would state that always in asking questions on the law, you should forward the Great Chiefs a copy of your Tribe's laws. In the absence of your laws I answer, that the Sachem of a Tribe has a right to accept the resignation of an appointed chief; but the Tribe only can receive the resignation of an elective chief.

Second Question.—Can a brother holding an office, resign his office without giving some excuse for so doing?

Second Answer.—A brother can resign without giving his reasons for so doing, and if he insists upon it the Tribe must receive his resignation.

On the 30th of Hunting Moon, I received the following communication from D. G. S. J. O. Gipple, propounding the following questions:—

First Question.—What action is necessary in case of an expelled member wishing to be restored to membership. The case is simply this, Arrapahoe Tribe, No. 68, expelled two members over one great sun ago. They now send a written request that they be restored to membership in the Tribe?

First Answer.—After your Tribe shall have taken such action as is necessary to reinstate a brother who shall have been expelled, that the matter must be brought before the Great Council, and unless that body grant that permission the member cannot be restored.

Second Question.—In what portion of the wigwam should the twig box be placed, in the election of chiefs?

Second Answer.—The twig box in all cases for the election of chiefs of the Tribe, should be placed directly in front of the Sachem, he acting as judge of the election.

Third Question.—In case of a Tribe holding a pic-nic or parade in the name of the Tribe or the Order, and paying the requisite fee for dispensation to hold the same, and they invite other Tribes to participate, must the Tribes being invited pay for and receive a dispensation also in order to participate in said parade or pic-nic?

Third Answer.—In case of a Tribe giving a pic-nic, and they apply for a dispensation, it is not necessary for other Tribes whom they may invite to ask for a dispensation, unless they should be pecuniarily interested.

On the 22d of Travelling Moon, I received the following communication from C. of R. George Hartzell, of Penobscot Tribe, No. 70:—

At a regular stated council of Penobscot Tribe, No. 70, held on the sleep of the 21st sun of Travelling Moon, G. S. D. 378, the following was adopted:—

Resolved, That the Chief of Records be instructed to ask a dispensation from the Great Sachem of Pennsylvania, to adopt pale faces for two fathoms for one great sun.

In answer to the above I stated:—

First.—That the laws of the Order require that the adoption fee shall be not less than three fathoms.

Second.—That even were it otherwise, I would have no right to grant a dispensation to alter or amend a law.

On the 13th of Beaver Moon, I received the following communication from C. of R. Henry G. Townsend, of Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, with the seal of the Tribe attached.

To the Great Sachem: I have been instructed to ask your opinion in regard to the legality of Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, electing a Representative to the Great Council of Pennsylvania, to fill the vacancy caused by the suspension of P. S. John W. Herbert.

In reply to the above, I stated: My opinion regarding the propriety of your Tribe electing a Representative to the Great Council of Pennsylvania, that there is a vacancy existing, and that your Tribe has a right to fill said vacancy for the balance of the term.

VISITATIONS.

For the past great sun I have frequently been solicited verbally and by communication to pay visits to various Tribes in the interior of the State, for the purpose of exemplifying the unwritten work, and to give general instructions and information. This of course has consumed a great amount of time and caused to me a considerable outlay of wampum. But in the performance of what I considered a duty that must sooner or later be per-

formed, either by myself or my successors, I have neither counted time or cost. I have visited during the past six moons the following Tribes:—

No. 1, Tecumseh, Norristown, in company with G. C. of R. Baker, and the committee of fifteen appointed by the Great Council to attend the funeral of P. G. S. John Fry, on the 2d of Corn Moon, G. S. D. 378.

No. 5, Pocahontas, Philadelphia, in company with G. C. of R. Baker and G. J. S. Moss, we were present at their wigwam on the sleep of the presentation of the beautiful testimonial from Red Jacket Tribe, No. 44, of Lancaster.

No. 7, Wyoming, I visited on the 22d of Corn Moon, and participated with them in their twentieth anniversary.

No. 8, Shawnese, Philadelphia, I visited on the sleep of the 5th sun of Beaver Moon. I also raised up their chiefs on the sleep of the 7th sun of the present moon.

No. 13, Perkiomen, Phœnixville, I visited on the sleep of the 30th of Hunting Moon.

No. 15, Pontiac, Pittsburg, I visited on the sleep of the 8th sun of Hunting Moon.

No. 18, Pequod, Philadelphia, I visited on the sleep of the 14th sun of Travelling Moon.

No. 19, Cherokee, Philadelphia, I visited on the sleep of the 21st sun of Travelling Moon.

No. 20, Pawnee, I visited on the sleep of the 29th sun of Buck Moon, on the sleeps of the 12th and 26th suns of Sturgeon Moon, on the sleep of the 9th sun of Corn Moon, on the sleep of the 14th sun of Travelling Moon, on the sleep of the 11th sun of Beaver Moon, and I raised up their chiefs on the sleep of the 6th sun of the present moon.

No. 22, Eeshahkonee, Lancaster, I visited on the sleep of the 4th sun of Travelling Moon.

No. 26, Black Hawk, Philadelphia, I visited on the sleep of the 3d sun of Travelling Moon.

No. 27, Mohegan, Philadelphia, I visited on the sleep of the 3d sun of the present moon and raised up their chiefs.

No. 29, Tuscarora, Chester, I visited on the sleep of the 26th sun of Buck Moon.

No. 30, Seminole, Germantown, in company with G. J. S. Moss and G. G. of F. Donnalley, I visited on the sleep of the 24th sun of Sturgeon Moon.

No. 33, Wingohocking, Frankford, in company with G. C. of R. Baker, G. J. S. Moss, G. K. of W. Pierce, G. Sannap Taylor, and G. G. of W. Snyder, I visited on the sleep of the 12th sun of Beaver Moon.

No. 37, Conewago, York, I visited on the sleep of the 24th sun of Beaver Moon.

No. 39, Chiquesalungo, Columbia, I visited on the sleep of the 28th sun of Hunting Moon.

No. 41, Seneca, Pottsville, I visited on the sleep of the 30th sun of Corn Moon, in company with G. G. of F. Donnalley and D. G. S. Thomas.

No. 44, Red Jacket, Lancaster, I visited on the sleep of the 10th sun of Corn Moon.

No. 49, Coaquanock, Philadelphia, I visited on the sleep of the 2d sun of Buck Moon.

No. 50, Miquon, Philadelphia, I visited on the sleep of the 18th sun of Sturgeon Moon, in company with G. C. of R. Baker, G. K. of W. Pierce, G. J. S. Moss, G. Sannap Taylor, G. G. of W. Snyder, G. G. of F. Donnalley, and P. G. S.'s Stewart and Eckert. We participated with them in the celebration of their tenth anniversary.

No. 51, Chippewa, Philadelphia. This being my own Tribe, I have always been present at their council fires whenever circumstances permitted. I was present with them on the sleep of the 10th sun of Beaver Moon, and participated in the celebration of their tenth anniversary.

No. 53, Washita, Conshohocken, I visited this Tribe, in company with Lenni Tribe, No. 86, on the 15th sun of Beaver Moon, and united with them in paying the last sad rites to the remains of a brother of Lenni Tribe, whom they had so generously attended during his last illness and death.

No. 56, Wyalusing, Falls of Schuylkill, I visited on the sleep of the 17th sun of Corn Moon, in company with G. G. of W. Snyder.

No. 57, Allegheny, Allegheny City, I visited on the sleep of the 13th sun of Hunting Moon.

No. 58, Allequippa, Pittsburg, I visited on the sleep of the 10th sun of Hunting Moon.

No. 59, Otsego, Mount Joy, I visited on the sleep of the 3d sun of Hunting Moon.

No. 60, Kickenapawling, Johnstown, I visited on the sleep of the 30th sun of Beaver Moon.

No. 61, Cornplanter, Harrisburg, I visited on the sleep of the 19th sun of Buck Moon.

No. 63, Wawatam, Roxborough, I visited on the sleep of the 2d sun of Corn Moon.

No. 64, Ottowa, Birmingham, I visited on the sleep of the 19th sun of Hunting Moon.

No. 66, Kiskiminitas, Johnstown, I visited on the sleep of the 1st sun of Hunting Moon.

No. 68, Arrapahoe, Huntingdon, I visited on the 11th sun of Corn Moon, and participated with them in their parade and other ceremonies pertinent to the occasion.

No. 69, Shohomokin, Sunbury, I visted on the sleep of the 7th sun of Travelling Moon, in company with G. C. of R. Baker.

No. 72, Tonnaluka, Irwin Station, I visited on the sleep of tho 9th sun of Hunting Moon, in company with a number of brothers from Pontiac Tribe, No. 15, of Pittsburg.

No. 73, Idaho, Philadelphia, I visited on the sleep of the 4th sun of Sturgeon Moon, in company with our late lamented brother John Carter.

No. 74, Juniata, Reading, I visited on the sleep of the 25th sun of Beaver Moon, in company with brother Joshua Raker, Sachem of No. 12.

No. 76, Nevada, Philadelphia, I visited on the sleep of the 3d sun of Beaver Moon, and participated with them in their second anniversary.

No. 78, Codorus, York, I visited on the sleep of 23d sun of Beaver Moon.

No. 79, Minnewa, Philadelphia, I have visited several times during the term.

No. 83, Onondago, Coatesville, I visited on the sleep of the 20th sun of Corn Moon, in company with G. G. of W. Snyder.

No. 86, Lenni, Lima, I visited on the sleep of the 23d sun of Travelling Moon, in company with G. Sannap Taylor, G. G. of W. Snyder, G. G. of F. Donnalley, and a large number from Washita Tribe, No. 53.

No. 87, Sioux, Philadelphia, I visited on the sleep of the 27th sun of Sturgeon Moon, and on the sleep of the 17th sun of Hunting Moon.

No. 90, Kickapoo, Gordon, I visited on the sleep of the 29th sun of Corn Moon, in company with G. G. of F. Donnalley, and D. G. S. Thomas.

No. 91, Octoraro, Harrisburg, I visited on the sleep of the 19th sun of Travelling Moon.

No. 93, Conewingo, York, were present by invitation at Conewago Tribe on the sleep that I visited them.

No. 96, Juskakaka, Duncannon, I visited on the sleep of the 2d sun of Hunting Moon.

No. 100, Yo-Semite, Glen Rock, I visited on the sleep of the 22d sun of Beaver Moon, in company with D. G. S. Hays.

No. 102, Bald Eagle, Tyrone, I visited on the sleep of the 21st sun of Travelling Moon.

No. 103, Youghiogheny, Birmingham, I visited on the sleep of the 11th sun of Hunting Moon.

No. 104, Absaraka, West Philadelphia, I visited on the sleep of the 8th sun of Buck Moon, on the 5th and 19th of the Sturgeon Moon, and on the sleep of the 4th sun of the present moon.

It is the intention of the Great Chiefs to pay an official visit during the present term to the Tribes in this city and adjoining towns.

In my visitations in the interior of the State, I have generally been accompanied by the District Deputy, and have always been careful to see the law, as laid down in the Ritual, carried out. I would here beg leave to return my sincere thanks to the many brethren that I have met in various parts of the jurisdiction, for the courteous and brotherly kindness that they have showered upon me, and shall always supplicate the Great Spirit to smile upon and bless them.

IMPORTANT EVENTS—HARRISBURG.

The cordial welcome accorded to this Great Council, at its last session in Harrisburg, in the Buck Moon, by the brothers of Cornplanter Tribe,

No. 61, and Octoraro Tribe, No. 91, should not be forgotten nor lightly passed over; neither should we forget the fact that the pale face world did their share to make our stay agreeable and pleasant. I would, therefore, respectfully suggest that it should be the duty of this Great Council to signify its appreciation of the various acts of kindness tendered it—first, to the citizens of Harrisburg; second, to Cornplanter Tribe, No. 61, and Octoraro Tribe, No. 91; third, to D. G. S. J. A. Fredericks, who by his untiring exertions not only secured us the use of the State Capitol building, but gave the pale face world an opportunity to view the Improved Order of Red Men in such a favorable light, as they appeared in procession on the 22d sun of Buck Moon last.

LANCASTER.

On the 25th sun of Hunting Moon, I had the pleasure of dedicating to the uses of the Order a wigwam, the most beautiful I have yet seen. The enterprise and liberal outlay displayed by the brethren at Lancaster satisfy me of one fact, and that is, that the true spirit that should animate our Order is there to be found paramount. The Order of Exercises consisted of a procession, in which Metamora, No. 2, Eeshahkonee, No. 22, and Red Jacket, No. 44, participated, and seemed to vie with each other in making a large and creditable turn out. After marching through a number of the principal streets, they halted in the main saloon of the Fulton Hall, where they were called to order by P. G. S. M. J. Weaver, who in a very pleasing manner introduced the Orator of the day, P. G. S. Morris H. Gorham.

Bro. Gorham, in an effort of many breaths, gave to the brothers present and pale faces an elaborate and truthful history of our Order, which was not only eloquent, but deeply interesting to all. After the Oration the dedicating ceremonies ensued. There were present G. C. of R. of U. S. Gorham, G. C. of R. of Pa. Baker, G. S. S. Schuh, G. Sannap Taylor, P. G. S. Weaver, Acting G. K. of W. Metzel of York, D. G. S. Fredericks of Harrisburg, and a large number of the brothers from Nos. 2, 22, and 44. The Great Chiefs left the hospitable City of Lancaster fully impressed with the idea, that the brethren not only know how to fit up a wigwam, but know how to keep it.

THE UNIMPROVED RED MAN.

I would like to call the attention of this Great Council to the very able reports of General Sherman, and of General Ord, in command of the United States troops in California. They both agree in the fact that the many Indian barbarities that we read of so frequently in the public press, are instigated and brought about by avaricious and wicked whites, who, upon the most frivolous excuses, slay the poor Indian and take possession of all he may possess. It is a positive reality, and a truth that cannot be gainsayed, that if the benevolent, charitable, and Christian organizations of our country would expend the same amount of wampum upon the down-trodden Unimproved Red Men of America that they do upon foreign

missions, the day would not be far distant when all the aborigines of the United States would be civilized, educated, and intelligent citizens.

The Improved Order of Red Men extends its ramifications through many States of the Union. It comprises within its Tribes some of the most intelligent, wealthy, and influential men of our land. Then why cannot we as a great and powerful organization, who have taken the name and improved upon the forms of that noble race, that once held sway over every hill and in every valley of this great country—why cannot we, I say, organize our influences and bring them to bear upon the national government, to see to it that the hand of the slayer shall be stayed, and that this poor down-trodden race shall be oppressed no more forever.

MISCELLANEOUS.

During the past six moons, I have had frequent conversations with the Great Senior Sagamore of the Great Council of the United States, of the United Order of Red Men, and he is inclined to the belief that it is possible that there could be a re-union of the two Orders upon a satisfactory basis.

On the 19th of Sturgeon Moon, I handed over to Absaraka Tribe, No. 104, sixteen of the old regalia, and received therefor fifteen fathoms.

I have attended all of the meetings of the Hall Association, and will refer the Great Council to the report of the Chairman, P. S. McGowan, for its proceedings during the last six moons.

I beg leave to tender my thanks to P. S.'s McGowan, Goldberg, Pierson, and Mayfarth, and P. G. S.'s Eckert and Madeira, for their kindness in raising up the chiefs of the several Tribes, to which the Great Chiefs could not attend.

I can say to this Great Council that their Great Chiefs have been a unit during this term on every question that has been before them, each vieing with the other in the performance of their duty. My thanks are tendered them for the respectful and courteous treatment that I have invariably received at their hands.

Brothers, I have during the past six moons labored to perfect the secret work of our beloved Order. I have exemplified it in nearly every wigwam outside of this city, and I know full well that our Order to-day stands on a far higher *pinacle of perfection* than it has ever stood before. Still our work is not done—our aim is not yet accomplished. We must be up and doing, and let it be our determination that the Improved Order of Red Men shall be the foremost in the land, devoted to acts of Friendship and Benevolence.

I can scarce express to the brothers throughout the jurisdiction the feelings of gratitude that animate my every thought for their many acts of hospitable kindness they have made me the receipient of; but trust that the faithful performance of the duties they have placed upon me will at least partly repay them.

Chiefs, Representatives, and Past Sachems, I have spoken. My actions are before you, and I trust may meet with your approval. I wish you a

pleasant session. I hope that harmony will prevail over your deliberations, and that all you here perform will be for the elevation and advancement of our Order. And may the Great Spirit smile upon you, and instil more firmly upon your minds and actions the necessity of being governed by those sterling principles of our Order—Freedom, Friendship, and Charity.

Fraternally,

CHARLES C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

CHESTER, 28th Sun, Hunting Moon, G. S. D. 378.

CHARLES C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

SIR AND BROTHER: Having received your appointment as D. G. S. for this District, and the time having arrived to report my official actions for the past six moons, I respectfully offer the following, which I trust may merit the approval of yourself and brother Chiefs, and the members of the Great Council:—

On the 8th sun of Sturgeon Moon, I received a communication from Tonnawanda Tribe, No. 81, asking the following question:—

If a member of the Order commits an act or acts disreputable to the Order and himself, and then fled from the neighborhood to escape criminal prosecution, and has charges preferred against him by the Tribe, a committee appointed, and the Constitution carried out to its full intent and meaning, with the exception of notifying the member to attend, which he has rendered impossible by his own act in absconding, no one here knowing his whereabouts, and the committee find by competent witnesses the charge fully sustained, and return a verdict of guilty, can the Tribe sustain the verdict of the committee, the member not being notified, &c.?

Being absent from the hunting grounds, answer was delayed until the 22d of Sturgeon Moon, when I answered, with your approval, yes, provided the trial has been conducted in accordance with the law as laid down.

On the 12th of Corn Moon, I received a communication from No. 81 to raise up the J. S., the stump having been vacated. Having made a previous engagement for that sleep to visit Idaho Tribe, No. 73, in company with brothers of Tuscarora Tribe, No. 29, I deputized P. S.'s Edwards and Atkinson of that Tribe to perform the ceremony.

On the 22d sleep of Corn Moon, I visited Tonnawanda Tribe, No. 81, and was pleased to find them apparently doing well, and with fair prospects, with some earnest brothers pushing the good work ahead. After exhorting them to continue in the good work, I returned to my wigwam.

On the 11th sleep of Travelling Moon, I received an application to grant a dispensation to Tuscarora Tribe, No. 29, to hold a citizens' dress ball, on 17th sleep of Beaver Moon, which was granted. (Fee, three fathoms, enclosed.)

On the 16th sun of Travelling Moon, I received an application for a dispensation from Tonnawanda Tribe, No. 81, to ballot for and raise up a brother of the Chief's degree to the S. S.'s stump, owing to the resignation of their S. S., he not feeling competent to discharge the duties of that and the succeeding stump. (Fee, five feet, enclosed.)

On the 20th sleep of Travelling Moon, I visited Tonnawanda Tribe, to raise up their chiefs. While present the J. S. offered his resignation, and I was asked for a dispensation to elect and raise up a chief to the same, which I granted. After raising up the chiefs to their respective stumps, in which I was assisted by P. G. I. Cameron, and after some friendly talk, I returned to my wigwam.

On the 15th sun. of Beaver Moon, I received a communication from No. 81, asking for a dispensation to hold a citizens' dress and regalia ball, on the 13th sleep of Hunting Moon, which was granted. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 15th sleep of Beaver Moon, I granted a dispensation to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother Henry Neuir, of Tuscarora Tribe, No. 29, he being about to leave the hunting grounds of his Tribe. (Fee, one fathom, paid.)

On the 5th of Hunting Moon, a dispensation was asked for by Tonnawanda Tribe, No. 81, to confer the Chief's degree upon brother George Neusted, three seven suns previous to proper qualification of time, which was granted on the 29th sleep of Hunting Moon. (Fee, five feet, enclosed.)

And now, worthy Great Sachem, ends my official acts during this part of the term. Having visited all the Tribes in my District within the past six moons, and finding them working harmoniously together, and with fair prospects of success in the future, with some slight occurrences, all is well with us.

Trusting the Great Spirit may be with you, and assist you in your onerous duties, and provide our Great Council with that wisdom and love at the next session, so that it meets the approval of all good brothers, and I hope to meet you soon.

Fraternally yours,

JOHN PACKWOOD, *D. G. S.*

P. S.—The amount of wampum due the Great Council I shall forward to the G. C. of R., at your request.

DANVILLE, 31st Sun, Hunting Moon, G. S. D. 378.

CHARLES C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

RESPECTED CHIEF: I have the honor to transmit the following report, as D. G. S. for the Counties of Montour, Columbia, and Luzerne, for the past six moons:—

I have visited and found all the Tribes in a flourishing condition, and in good working order. I have also raised up the chiefs of the various Tribes in my District, and have had the pleasure on several occasions of

greeting with a Red Man's grip brothers from different Tribes in the State, and have learned from them a fact that should cause a thrill of satisfaction and pleasure to throb in the bosom of every true Improved Red Man, namely: that our Order to-day is far more prosperous than it has ever been before; and may the Great Kishe Manito enable us, as each succeeding great sun shall roll away into the mist of the past, to give the same cheering report.

DISPENSATIONS GRANTED.

On the 16th of Sturgeon Moon, to Honayawus Tribe, No. 94, to confer the Chief's degree on E. Jacobs and S. Heist. (Fee, one fathom, paid.)

On the 19th of Sturgeon Moon, to Mahoning Tribe, No. 77, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees on James E. Clarke; also to have a parade and festival, on the 21st of Sturgeon Moon. (Fee, four fathoms, paid.)

On the 2d of Beaver Moon, to Wopwollopen Tribe, No. 92, to remove their wigwam to Odd Fellows' new Hall.

On the 14th of Hunting Moon, to Navajo Tribe, No. 105, to hold a ball, in the name of the Order, on the sleep of the 24th sun, in full regalia. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

All of which is respectfully submitted, in F., F., and C.,

WM. ATEN, *D. G. S.*

HARRISBURG, 4th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

CHARLES C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

RESPECTED CHIEF: Having received a commission from you to act as your Deputy for the Counties of Dauphin, Perry, and Cumberland, I feel it my duty to hand you in the report of my doings during the last six moons.

DISPENSATIONS.

On the 12th sun of Buck Moon, I received a communication from Cornplanter Tribe, No. 61, asking for a dispensation to hold a pic-nic on the 22d of Buck Moon, in honor of the Great Council of Pennsylvania. I granted the request. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the same sun, and from the same Tribe, I was asked for a dispensation to have a parade in regalia, in honor of the Great Council. I granted the request.

On the 20th sun of Buck Moon, I received a communication from Octoraro Tribe, No. 91, asking for a dispensation to participate in regalia with Cornplanter Tribe in a parade. I granted their request.

On the 21st of Buck Moon, I received a communication from Kittatinny Tribe, No. 88, to participate in full regalia with Cornplanter Tribe in a parade, on the 22d of Buck Moon. I also granted their request.

On the 21st of Buck Moon, I granted a dispensation to Octoraro Tribe, No. 91, to have a ballot on the same sleep of the proposition of John W. Geary, also to remove temporarily their wigwam to the House of Representatives to adopt him. (Fee, one fathom, paid.)

On the 3d of Sturgeon Moon, I granted a dispensation to Octoraro Tribe, No. 91, to confer the Chief's degree upon brother Jacob Shultz, he being on the railroad, and not convenient for him to be with his Tribe on their council sleep. (Fee, five feet, paid.)

On the 9th of Travelling Moon, I received a communication from Conodogwinit Tribe, No. 108, asking for a dispensation to confer the Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees upon the following brothers; John Faber, L. C. Faber, Lonis Fitzer, John Bender, E. D. Krause; and the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon Jacob Thudinm, Phil. Lissman, Adam Hoffman. (Fee, ten fathoms five feet, paid.)

On the 11th of Travelling Moon, I granted a dispensation to Octoraro Tribe, No. 91, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees npon brother James McKee, he not being able to be with them at their councils. (Fee, one fathom, paid.)

On the 22d, I granted a dispensation to Octoraro Tribe, No. 91, to hold a ball in Snow Moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

DECISION.

In Beaver Moon, I paid a visit to Octoraro Tribe, No. 91. Their Sachem asked me to take his stump, and raise up their newly elected S. S. and J. S., which ceremony I performed, as I was told before performing that duty that their S. S. had resigned and left this city for another State. About two seven suns thereafter I received a communication, in which the undersigned states that he was the S. S. of Octoraro Tribe, and was absent from home for three seven suns, and when he went in his Tribe he found the J. S. in his place, and was told that he forfeited his stump for being absent for three successive council sleeps. The brother now complains of this action, and wants to know what to do in his case. When I found that the brother was a very active member before, and left home on business, and was only absent for three council sleeps, and had not resigned previous to that election, I declared this last election and raising up of S. S. and J. S. null and void, and the complainant entitled to his stnmp as S. S. I have since learned that the Tribe acknowledged their error, and has complied with my decision.

I have raised up the chiefs of some of the Tribes in my District, and will raise up the rest, or cause it to be done, during this seven snns.

Fraternally yours,

J. A. FREDERICK, *D. G. S.*

York, 5th Snn, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

Charles C. Conley, *G. S.*

Respected Chief: The time having arrived to report the actions of the last six moons, as D. G. S. for York County, would respectfully say that the Tribes in my jurisdiction are in a very prosperous condition. The following dispensations I have granted during the last six moons:—

On the 1st of Corn Moon, to Waunepewink Tribe, No. 89, to parade in regalia and hold a pic-nic, on the 11th sun of Corn Moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 3d of Corn Moon, to Yo Semite Tribe, No. 100, to parade in regalia and participate at the pic-nic of Waunepewink Tribe, No. 89, on the 11th sun of Corn Moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 5th of Buck Moon, to Conewingo Tribe, No. 93, to parade in regalia and hold a pic-nic, on the 11th sun of Buck Moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 20th of Beaver Moon, to Conewago Tribe, No. 37, to hold a ball on the 25th sleep of Beaver Moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 7th of Hunting Moon, to Codorus Tribe, No. 78, to remove their wigwam from the present location, Washington Hall, to Hartman's Building (sixth story), Centre Square.

All of which I submit, and hope that it will meet your approval.

Yours, in F., F., and C.,

JOHN HAYS, *D. G. S.*

READING, 5th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

CHARLES C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

RESPECTED CHIEF: The time having arrived to make my official report, I would respectfully state that Juniata Tribe, No. 74, has been getting along very well during the past six moons.

On the 2d of Hunting Moon, I granted a dispensation to the Tribe to hold a ball, on the 9th of same moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 4th of Cold Moon, I raised up the chiefs of the Tribe.

Fraternally yours,

THOMAS E. WEBER, *D. G. S.*

PITTSBURG, 6th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

CHARLES C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

RESPECTED CHIEF: As Deputy Great Sachem for Allegheny and Westmoreland Counties, under your appointment, I respectfully submit the following report:—

DISPENSATIONS.

On the 2d of Sturgeon Moon, I granted a dispensation to Youghiogheny Tribe, No. 103, to hold a pic-nic, on the 14th of Sturgeon Moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 28th of Corn Moon, I granted a dispensation to Youghiogheny Tribe, No. 103, to change their council sleep from Tuesday to Saturday, and to move their wigwam to Schafer's Hall, Bingham Street; also to hold an election for S., S. S., and J. S., as the Sachem has changed his hunting grounds to another State; and on the 9th of Travelling Moon, I raised up their chiefs.

On the 10th of Beaver Moon, I granted a dispensation to Pontiac Tribe, No. 15, to hold a ball on the 18th of Beaver Moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 22d of Beaver Moon, I granted a dispensation to Allegheny Tribe, No. 57, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees on brother George Schmit; also the Chief's degree on brother Gottlieb Brandstatter. (Fee, one fathom five feet, paid.)

On the 17th of Hunting Moon, I granted a dispensation to Allequippa Tribe, No. 58, to confer the Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees on brother W. James McGratty, to make him eligible for Chief of Records. (Fee, one fathom five feet, paid.)

On the 24th of Hunting Moon, I granted a dispensation to Ottowa Tribe, No. 64, to hold a ball, on the 31st of Hunting Moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

I have visited the different Tribes in my District several times, and found them all working in good order.

Hoping my report may meet your approval, I remain,

In F., F., and C.,

OSWALD HECKMANN, *D. G. S.*

West Chester, 7th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

Charles C. Conley, *G. S.*

Respected Chief: As D. G. S. for Chester County, the following are my official acts during the past six moons:—

DISPENSATIONS.

On the 15th of Buck Moon, I granted a dispensation to Onondaga Tribe, No. 83, at Coatesville, to give their annual excursion and pic-nic, at Paoli Grove. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 3d of Sturgeon Moon, I granted a dispensation to Perkiomen Tribe, No. 13, at Phœnixville, to give an excursion and pic-nic, on the 14th of same moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 9th of Sturgeon Moon, I granted a dispensation to Perkiomen Tribe, No. 13, to propose, elect, and adopt a pale face on the same sleep. (Fee, one fathom, paid.)

On the 1st of Travelling Moon, I granted a dispensation to Wyandotte Tribe, No. 54, at Oxford, to have a public reunion of the Tribe, and wear their regalia.

The fees for all of the above have been forwarded to the G. C. of R.

Yours fraternally, in F., F., and C.,

NORRIS T. SMITH, *D. G. S.*

Cressona, 7th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

Charles C. Conley, *G. S.*

Respected Chief: Having acted under a commission issued by you, as D. G. S. for the County of Schuylkill, to superintend the workings of

the Tribes located therein, I would respectfully submit the following report of my official acts during the past term:—

There are four Tribes in this jurisdiction, which I am happy to state are all in a better and more flourishing condition than they have been at any time since their organization. I have visited Seneca, Kickapoo, and Saukie Tribes twice during my appointment, and in my own Tribe I have been on every sleep, when my official duties did not call me away from home.

In consequence of sickness in my family, I have been obliged to deputize a Past Sachem to raise up the chiefs elect in Seneca, Kickapoo, and Saukie Tribes.

On the 30th of Hunting Moon, I granted a dispensation to Kickapoo Tribe, No. 90, to attend a lecture, in regalia, on the 1st sun of Cold Moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid; which you will find enclosed.)

Yours in F., F., and C.,

M. J. THOMAS, *D. G. S.*

LANCASTER, 10th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

CHARLES C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

RESPECTED CHIEF: Being deputized by you to superintend the workings of the Tribes in Lancaster County, I would respectfully submit the following report:—

I am gratified to inform you that without exception the Tribes in this District are adding largely to their numbers, and are therefore receiving the fruits of their labors. I would also state that a spirit of enterprise has recently manifested itself among the Tribes in Lancaster. They have jointly fitted up a new wigwam in a magnificent style, which is not to be surpassed by any in the United States, thereby manifesting and showing the proper spirit which should characterize all Tribes. Although unable to personally visit and raise up the chiefs of each Tribe, I deputized competent brothers, and am satisfied the work was successfully performed.

DISPENSATIONS.

I have granted the following dispensations:—

On the 16th of Sturgeon Moon, to Red Jacket Tribe, No 44, to hold a ball on the 13th of Corn Moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 15th of Corn Moon, to Metamora Tribe, No. 2, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degree on brother L. H. Smith and James Parkinson. (Fee, two fathoms, paid.)

On the 5th of Travelling Moon, to Kishacaquillas Tribe, No. 65, to change their council sleep from Friday to Saturday.

On the 18th of Travelling Moon, to Eeshahkonee Tribe, No. 22, to confer the Chief's degree on brother John Levergood. (Fee, five feet, paid.)

On the 19th of Travelling Moon, to Metamora Tribe, No. 2, to confer degrees, on the 20th same moon, their By-Laws fixing a regular sleep.

On the 22d of Travelling Moon, to Red Jacket Tribe, No. 44, to confer degrees, their By-Laws fixing a regular sleep.

On the 28th of Travelling Moon, to Otsego Tribe, No. 59, to hold a ball, on the 17th of Beaver Moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 15th of Beaver Moon, to Keshahkonee Tribe, No. 22, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees on brother Victor Borky. (Fee, one fathom, paid.)

On the 25th of Hunting Moon, to Metamora Tribe, No. 2, Keshahkonee Tribe, No. 22, and Red Jacket Tribe, No. 44, to remove from their present wigwam in full regalia, to their new wigwam in Fulton Hall, third story.

On the 27th of Hunting Moon, to Keshahkonee Tribe, No. 22, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees on brother H. B. McNeal. (Fee, one fathom, paid.)

On the 3d of Cold Moon, to Keshahkonee Tribe, No. 22, to adopt a pale face on the sleep of raising up, their By-Laws prohibiting the same.

DECISION.

On the 4th of Sturgeon Moon, I received a communication from Keshahkonee Tribe, No. 22, propounding the following question:—

Can a Sachem against whom charges have been preferred, preside on his own case?

My decision is, in accordance with Article XVIII, Section 2, of the Constitution, a Sachem cannot preside at his own trial or hearing.

I hope my actions may be duly approved.

Submitted in the bonds of F., F., and C.,

G. S. S. ADAM SCHUH, *D. G. S.*

NORRISTOWN, 10th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

CHARLES C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

RESPECTED CHIEF: The time has arrived for me to make a return of my official acts during the past six moons. I therefore respectfully submit to you the following report:—

DISPENSATIONS.

On the 15th of Corn Moon, I granted a dispensation to Tecumseh Tribe, No. 1, to turn out in regalia, at the dedication of the Soldiers' Monument, in this borough.

On the 22d of Travelling Moon, I granted a dispensation to Beaver Tribe, No. 62, to change their council sleep from Saturday to Tuesday.

On the 25th of Beaver Moon, I granted a dispensation to Winona Tribe, No. 75, to change their council sleep from Saturday to Thursday.

On the 15th of Hunting Moon, I granted a dispensation to Washita Tribe, No. 53, to hold their annual ball, in the name of the Tribe, on the 24th of Hunting Moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 29th of Hunting Moon, I granted a dispensation to Beaver Tribe, No. 62, to move their wigwam from DeKalb Street, Odd Fellows' Hall, to Fisher's Hall, on Main Street.

DECISIONS.

On the 4th of Travelling Moon, P. S. John P. Armitage, of Washita Tribe, No. 53, propounded the following question:—

Question.—In granting certificates for degrees at a regular stated council of the Tribe, shall it be by twigs or the usual show of the Order?

Answer.—By twigs. (See Article XV, Section 2, of the Constitution.)

On the 1st sleep of Corn Moon, in company with brothers from Tecumseh Tribe, No. 1, and Beaver Tribe, No. 62, I raised up the chiefs of Washita Tribe, No. 53.

On the 4th sleep of Cold Moon, in company with brothers from Tecumseh Tribe, No. 1, I raised up the chiefs of Beaver Tribe, No. 62.

On the 5th sleep of Cold Moon, with the assistance of brothers from Beaver Tribe, No. 62, I raised up the chiefs of Tecumseh Tribe, No. 1.

Not being able to raise up the chiefs of Winona Tribe, No. 75, I deputized Rep. Henry R. Bossert, to raise up their chiefs.

Hoping my report may prove satisfactory, I remain,

Yours in F., F., and C.,

JOEL H. WEBER, *D. G. S.*

CLARION, 10th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

CHARLES C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

RESPECTED CHIEF: In accordance with instructions, and by commission duly issued by you, I repaired to the hunting grounds of Brookville, on the 6th of the present moon, accompanied by brothers Crisman, Mauvill, Beck, Kaufman, Allen, Thompson, and Hilbert, and there instituted Minnehaha Tribe, No. 111, in due form. After having received the usual instructions, they at once began work. The chiefs were elected and duly raised up. They at once entered upon their several duties, with a solemn earnestness to labor diligently for the advancement and welfare of our beloved Order through their vast hunting grounds.

I left them, thoroughly convinced that our Order, under such chieftainships, will surely prosper in our sister hunting grounds. You may look for bright reports from this Tribe. I also granted a dispensation to adopt five pale faces on the sleep of their institution.

I cannot close without returning you my heartfelt thanks for the honor conferred on me, and beg to assure you that my humble efforts for the good of our noble institution will always be at your command.

Yours in F., F., and C.,

T. B. RICHARD, *D. G. S.*

JOHNSTOWN, 10th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

CHARLES C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

RESPECTED CHIEF: The time having arrived for me to render an account of my official acts during the last six moons, I would respectfully state that the two Tribes in my jurisdiction are in a very good condition, and the prospects for membership are good. Both Tribes have rented a hall and fixed it up suitable for a wigwam, which they will occupy hereafter. I raised up the chiefs of Kickenapawling Tribe, No. 60, on the 4th sleep of Cold Moon. The chiefs of Kiskiminitas Tribe, No. 66, have not been raised up yet; but will be on the sleep of the 15th of this moon. This Tribe had to leave their hall on the 1st of Cold Moon, and through some mistake had no place to kindle their council fire until they move to their new wigwam.

On the 4th of Cold Moon, I granted a dispensation to Kickenapawling Tribe, No. 60, to remove their wigwam from Odd Fellows' Hall to Fronheiser's Hall.

On the 8th of Cold Moon, I granted a dispensation to Kiskiminitas Tribe, No. 66, to remove their wigwam from Odd Fellows' Hall to Fronheiser's Hall, and also to change their council sleep from Wednesday to Saturday.

All of which is respectfully submitted in F., F., and C.,

EDWARD C. THOMAS, *D. G. S.*

PATTERSON, 10th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

CHARLES C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

RESPECTED CHIEF: As your D. G. S. for Juniata and Mifflin Counties, I beg leave to transmit the following report for the last six moons:—

On the 3d of Cold Moon, I granted a dispensation to Iroquois Tribe, No. 42, to elect and raise up brother Jacob Beidler (a past J. S.) to the Sachem's stump, there being no brother eligible to the position—the S. S. having moved to Tyrone, and declined to be elected, and no P. S. being willing to accept the position.

On the 3d sleep of Cold Moon, I raised up the chiefs elect of Swatara Tribe, No. 80.

On the 4th sleep of Cold Moon, I raised up the chiefs elect of Mattawana Tribe, No. 71.

On the 7th sleep of Cold Moon, I raised up the chiefs elect of Ongpatonga Tribe, No. 67.

Before granting the dispensation to Iroquois Tribe, to elect and raise up brother Beidler from J. S. to the Sachem's stump, I made diligent search for a precedent, but found none; neither could I find any charge for term of service allowed. If any charge is made please notify me and I will forward the amount.

I am happy to state that all the Tribes in my District are in a prosperous condition, and are working well and according to the strict letter of the

law, with one exception. There is some irregularity in Ongpatonga Tribe, which I feel it my duty to report to you, that you may take such action as you think proper. This Tribe has been organized about four great suns; they have about six hundred fathoms in the Wampum Belt, and they are still working in their councils without either chief's or Past Sachem's regalia, as required by Article XXIII of the Constitution, rule 1 of the Rules of Order, and Article X of the General Laws.

N. B.—I would most earnestly recommend that you take some action in the Great Council in regard to filling the chiefs' stumps in old Tribes, where none are eligible according to the Constitution, as I can find no law on the subject.

Hoping my report may meet your approval, I remain

Yours fraternally,

F. M. MICKEY, *D. G. S.*

EASTON, 10th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

CHARLES C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

RESPECTED CHIEF: The time has arrived for me to make a return of my official acts, and also to report the condition of the Tribes in my District. Saranac Tribe, No. 84, and Chingachqook Tribe, No. 106, are in a prosperous condition, and in good working order.

On the 25th of Sturgeon Moon, I granted a dispensation to Saranac Tribe, No. 84, to hold an excursion and pic-nic, on the 11th of Corn Moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 5th of Cold Moon, I raised up the chiefs of Saranac Tribe.

All of which is respectfully submitted, in F., F., and C.,

EPHRAIM N. R. OHL, *D. G. S.*

GETTYSBURG, 10th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

CHARLES C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

RESPECTED CHIEF: Having acted under a commission issued by you as D. G. S. for the Counties of Adams and Franklin, to superintend the workings of the Tribes located therein, I would respectfully submit the following report of my duties during the present term:—

There are two Tribes in my jurisdiction, which I am happy to state are in a prosperous condition, which you will see when their reports are sent to you.

On the 13th of Hunting Moon, I received a communication, and a copy of the By-Laws of Uncas Tribe, No. 101, which they wanted me to examine. I answered their communication, and told them I would take their By-Laws to Philadelphia, and give them to the Committee on Law and Usage. They were approved by said Committee.

On the 7th of Cold Moon, was the appointed time to raise up our chiefs; but I was obliged to be absent from our wigwam. I appointed P. S. J. L.

Holtzworth to call on brothers Robison, Meals, Boyer, Strause, Ziegler, and others, to assist him to raise up the chiefs of Cayugas Tribe, No. 31.

On the 8th of Cold Moon, our Sachem, J. W. Cress, called a special council, for the purpose of receiving the propositions of two pale faces who could not be present at any other time. The propositions were received, the committee appointed, candidates balloted for, and elected. I granted a dispensation to adopt P. E. Flanders and Z. S. Flanders on the above sleep. (Fee, two fathoms, paid.)

Fraternally submitted,

SAMUEL WEAVER, *D. G. S.*

HUNTINGDON, 10th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

CHARLES C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

RESPECTED CHIEF: Having received a commission, dated 28th sun of Buck Moon, as D. G. S. of Blair and Huntingdon Counties, I beg leave to submit the following as my report for the past six moons:—

DISPENSATIONS.

On the 3d of Corn Moon, I granted a dispensation to Arrapahoe Tribe, No. 68, to hold a pic-nic and parade in full regalia, on the 11th sun of Corn Moon. (Fee, three fathoms, paid.)

On the 30th of Travelling Moon, I granted a dispensation to Tamany Tribe, No. 85, to hold an election for S. S. and J. S., to fill the vacancies caused by the resignation of the S. S.

On the 4th of Beaver Moon, I granted a dispensation to Winnebago Tribe, No. 35, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees on brother James H. Gailey. (Fee, one fathom, paid.)

The above fees have been forwarded to the G. C. of R.

DECISIONS.

On the 28th of Sturgeon Moon, I received a communication from Theo. M. Beam, C. of R. of Winnebago Tribe, No. 35, propounding the following question:—

Question.—Can a Tribe take the Chief of Records' books from him if he is in good standing and free from charges?

Answer.—The Tribe has not the right to take the books from the Chief of Records if he is in good standing, and there are no charges against him, provided he has strictly complied with the Constitution and By-Laws of his Tribe, and the requirements of his office.

On the 23d of Hunting Moon, brother G. Hausser, C. of R. of Tamany Tribe, No. 85, propounded the following:—

Question.—P. S. Stetzel was on the 1st of Travelling Moon one fathom five feet in arrears; last sleep he paid in two fathoms, which would leave a balance of not quite one fathom (our moon's dues are five feet). Is there any law prohibiting a brother to vote, or to be nominated for an elective office, as long as he is not three moons in arrears?

Answer.—It is impossible for me to give my decision on the question you propound, not knowing the requirements of your By-Laws. If your Sachem decides a question or motion contrary to your laws, the Tribe can appeal from his decision. (See Rules of Order.)

I have visited all the Tribes in the District, and find them all in a prosperous condition. Although gaining slowly in membership, they are adopting good men.

Hoping the above may meet your approval, I remain

Yours, in F., F., and C.,

J. OLIVER GIPPLE, *D. G. S.*

WILLIAMSPORT, 18th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

CHARLES C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

RESPECTED CHIEF: As D. G. S. for Lycoming, Northumberland, and Clinton Counties. I submit the following report:—

On the 19th of Buck Moon, I granted a dispensation to Otzinachson Tribe, No. 95, to confer the Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees on brother George. (Fee, one fathom five feet, paid.)

On the 13th of Sturgeon Moon, I granted a dispensation to Shohomokin Tribe. No. 69, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees on brother G. Hivly; also, the Chief's degree on brother J. D. Mills. (Fee, one fathom five feet, paid.)

Yours, in F., F., and C.,

J. W. WHITMAN, *D. G. S.*

P. S. Miller, No. 22, moved the report, with those of the Deputies, be referred to the proper Committees, which was adopted.

G. C. of R. presented the following report:—

PHILADELPHIA, 18th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: As your G. C. of R. I respectfully report, that in accordance with instructions from the Great Council, I have notified the two Tribes reported deficient in the amount of percentage paid at the last session. The annexed communications relative thereto have been received. The amount of deficiency (four fathoms) has been received from No. 19.

New Blank Reports being required for the Tribes, I prepared a new and different form, and had about one thousand printed. The Report is so arranged that they can be bound in book-form, and be thereby preserved for future reference or examination, and will keep in an accessible form a complete statistical history of the Tribes.

On the 10th of Hunting Moon, I received from the G. C. of R. of the United States copies of a circular, notifying the Order of the change made

in the Regalia (by dispensing with the apron), at the last session of the Great Council of the United States. I immediately prepared a circular relative thereto, and forwarded a copy of the same, with that of the G. C. of R. of U. S., to each Tribe in this jurisdiction. Copies of both circulars are hereto annexed.

The present Volume of Proceedings and Appendix now numbers over four hundred pages, making a book sufficiently large for purposes of reference or perusal. Provisions should be made for having an index of the same prepared and printed, and the copies reserved in the office, bound, for sale.

Frequent inquiries are made by a large number of members of the Order, in relation to procuring copies of the First Volume of the Proceedings of the Great Council. The Proceedings were first ordered printed at the session in Plant Moon, 5612 (G. S. D. 361), and after diligent search and inquiry I am of the opinion that there is not more than one complete file of them to be found anywhere.

This Volume would form a link in, and preserve the early history of, the Great Council. Many of the active and prominent members of those early times have passed away to the "spirit land," and their names, as well as those of many of the Great Chiefs, are known or recollected by but few of the present members of the Great Council.

I am of the opinion that if the Great Council should order the same to be properly prepared, printed, indexed, and bound, a sufficient number of copies could be sold to defray the whole expense.

The Insurance on the property in the office of the G. C. of R. having expired, and the Company in which it was insured having closed its business, I took out another policy in the Fire Association for the same amount and premium.

There are but a few copies of the By-Laws of the Great Council on hand, and it will be necessary to have a reprint of the same. Before ordering them printed, it may be prudent that any required alteration or modification should be made.

Very truly and fraternally yours,

ANDREW J. BAKER, *G. C. of R.*

P. G. S. Knipe moved it be referred to the Committee on Law and Usage, and the Finance Committee, which was adopted.

Representatives to the Great Council of the United States presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 18th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The undersigned, Representatives to the Great Council of the United States, respectfully report that they attended the

session of that body, which was held in the City of St. Louis, commencing at the 9th run rising of the sun on the 14th of Corn Moon, and continued in session until the setting sun of the 16th.

All but three of your Representatives were present, and in attendance at every session.

The first business of general importance was the "Long Talk" of the Great Incohonee, which gave a full account of the progress of the Order, and is worthy of the attentive perusal of all the members. From it you will see that new Tribes have been instituted at Shepherdstown, West Virginia; two at Detroit, Michigan; one at Shreveport, Louisiana; one at Athens, Alabama; and one at Mason, Illinois. A fitting tribute was also paid to the memory of our late colleague, P. S. Abram Gibbs. This portion of the report was referred to a special committee, who subsequently reported the following resolutions:—

Resolved, That this Great Council has heard with regret and sorrow the announcement of the taking away of brother and Representative Abram Gibbs, of Pennsylvania, one of the oldest members of this body, and join with our Great Incohonee in the words of commendation used by him in his Long Talk.

Resolved, That this Great Council wear the appropriate badge of mourning for the space of thirty suns.

Which were adopted by the Great Council.

The communication of your Great Chiefs, relative to adopting pale faces under the age of twenty-one great suns, was referred to the Committee on the State of the Order; a majority of whom reported adversely thereto, and were sustained by a vote of the Great Council.

The most important business was the change in Regalia, in accordance with the following resolution:—

Resolved, That the Regalia of the Order be so changed as to *dispense with the apron as a part thereof.*

This resolution was adopted by a vote of—ayes 36; nays 4.

The Committee on Music reported that they had the several Odes set to music and printed, ready for delivery to the Tribes.

The following communication from the Great Council of California was referred to the Committee on the State of the Order:—

Whereas, A large number of brothers of the Improved Order of Red Men have expressed a desire to have a "Degree" created, which shall admit the wives, mothers, sisters, and daughters (provided they are over eighteen great suns of age) of brothers of the Chief's degree; therefore,

Resolved, That our Representatives to the Great Council of the United States, be and they are hereby instructed to present said desire to said Great Council of the United States, at its next session, and urge the enactment of a law in consonance therewith.

The Committee reported thereon as follows:—

"The Committee on the State of the Order, to whom was referred the resolution of the Great Council of California in favor of a degree to which ladies may be admitted, respectfully report that there is a diversity of opinion among the members of the Order on this subject, which can best be met by letting such a degree be conferred, not in the body of a Tribe, but in a side organization, under sanction of the Order, which members of Tribes may join or not, at their pleasure. Such organization, if instituted, should be for a time under ceremonials and rules approved by a proper committee of this body, until further action by the Great Council of the United States; and we recommend that such organization be authorized."

Which report was laid on the table, by a vote of—yeas 21; nays 9.

The Committee on the State of the Order reported the following:—

"The Committee on the State of the Order have had under consideration the following query:—

'Can a brother renounce the Order?'

"We are of the opinion that there is no law to prevent a brother from renouncing the Order; but said renunciation cannot release the member from amenability for matters anterior to his renunciation.

"This Order possesses no dominion over the consciences of its members; and if a renunciation in due form comes to the knowledge of a Tribe, and the member is in good standing and clear of the books, and the renunciation is without disrespect to the Order or the Tribe, it can but strike his name from the roll. It is needless to say that with such renunciation, even verbal, all claims upon the Order for benefits or relief fall to the ground."

Which was adopted by the Great Council.

The report made at the session G. S. D. 377 was taken up, and the following resolutions, then reported, were adopted:—

"*Resolved*, That all Tribes hereafter chartered by this or any Great Council shall have for their titles an Indian name, and would recommend that it should be local to the State or Territory.

"*Resolved*, That in all Tribes instituted under the immediate authority of the Great Council of the United States, more than two moons prior to the close of the term, the chiefs elected at the time of institution, and who may serve until the end of the term, shall be entitled to the full honors of their several positions."

The Committee on the State of the Order reported the following:—

"We would report that we have carefully studied the subject, and find nothing in the laws to prevent a Trustee from serving as an elective chief. The law defines who are elective chiefs of a Tribe. A Trustee, in our opinion, is a chief *ex-officio* of a Tribe, and no law is violated by the election of the same as a chief of a Tribe."

Which was adopted by the Great Council.

The amendment to Article IV of the Constitution, allowing the time of the sessions to be changed, was adopted.

A resolution was adopted fixing the next session of the Great Council on the first Tuesday in the Corn Moon next, in the city of Baltimore.

In conclusion, we would respectfully report that we have endeavored to faithfully represent the views and interests of the Great Council, and trust our action may meet your approval.

Very truly and fraternally yours in F., F., and C.,

WM. KELLY,	J. DAVID MILLER,
ANDREW J. BAKER,	J. W. WHITMAN,
THOMAS W. BROWN,	M. J. WEAVER,
GEORGE METZEL,	JAMES A. MOSS,
ERNEST A. DRESSLER,	WM. C. PROBASCO,
LEWIS C. PIERCE,	H. MAYFARTH,
WM. B. ECKERT,	C. WIESTENBERG,
FRANK C. KNIPE,	E. F. STEWART.

P. S. Goldberg moved the report be accepted and the action of the Representatives approved, which was adopted.

P. G. I. Cameron, Chairman of the Committee on Parade, stated that the testimonials prepared for brother W. H. Barton would be presented to him in the presence of the Great Council, on the sleep of to-morrow, at the 9th run.

On motion, P. G. I. Cameron was requested to make the presentation, on behalf of the Great Council.

The Great Council, on motion, proceeded to the nomination of Great Chiefs and Representatives, when the following nominations were made:—

For G. S.—Adam Schuh, No. 44.

For G. S. S.—James A. Moss, No. 70.

For G. J. S.—Joseph W. Clymer, No. 27, R. B. Antrim, No. 19, Daniel McGowan, No. 51, Hannaniah Walker, No. 49, John Rebman, No. 58, Wm. G. Hollis, No. 50, Geo. K. Swain, No. 76, James T. Crocker, No. 43, Peter Bechtel, No. 63, Wm. C. Probasco, No. 51, Henry Mayfarth, No. 14, Wm. H. Hartley, No. 8, Norris T. Smith, No. 47, John Weidley, No. 32, Robert Whitehead, No. 19, John J. Pierson, No. 73, John M. Larkin, No. 29, Jacob S. Zink, No. 35, E. A. Dressler, No. 30, Wm. D. Steigerwalt, No. 22, Thomas W. Brown, No. 2.

For G. P.—P. G. S.'s J. F. Madeira, No. 70, Frank C. Knipe, No. 18, Charles C. Conley, No. 51, Samuel Weaver, No. 31, M. J. Weaver, No. 22.

For G. C. of R.—Andrew J. Baker, No. 7.

For G. K. of W.—Lewis C. Pierce, No. 4.

For Representatives to G. C. U. S.—E. F. Stewart, No. 27, Wm. B. Eekert, No. 49, John A. Jordan, No. 39, Henry Mayfarth, No. 14, Henry C. Baldwin, No. 47, E. A. Dressler, No. 30, Wm. Kelly, No. 29, J. W. Whitman, No. 28, Frank C. Knipe, No. 18, Norman B. Moninger, No. 51, Samuel B. Taylor, No. 79, C. H. Brady, No. 59, John Dumbell, No. 17, J. F. Madeira, No. 70, Wm. Aten, No. 77, John C. Young, No. 19, Henry Fite, No. 104, Ira W. Campernel, No. 8, Wm. H. Hartley, No. 8, L. Goldberg, No. 7, Jaeob Senneff, No. 51, Geo. McNall, No. 41, Wm. D. Steigerwalt, No. 22, Robert Sims, No. 43, John Weidley, No. 32, Thomas D. Rulon, No. 52, Charles Rieder, No. 14, John C. Moore, No. 48, R. B. Antrim, No. 19, Jas. McGinnis, No. 39, Jas. T. Crocker, No. 43, Edward V. O'Neil, No. 33, Wm. G. Hollis, No. 50, Robert T. Roberts, No. 56.

The Council fire was then quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PHILADELPHIA, 19*th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D.* 379.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled, and kindled the Council fire in ample form, at the 9th run rising of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

CHARLES C. CONLEY—Great Sachem.
ADAM SCHUH—Great Senior Sagamore.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Junior Sagamore.
SAMUEL WEAVER—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
SAMUEL B. TAYLOR—Great Sannap.
FREDERICK F. SNYDER—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And the following Representatives:—

Weber,	No. 1	Snyder,	No. 19
Brown,	" 2	Steigerwalt,	" 22
Gregory,	" 4	Green,	" 27
Feldman,	" 5	Else,	" 28
Campernel,	" 8	Hatton,	" 29
Waitneight,	" 13	Rodbard,	" 30
Mayfarth,	" 14	Best,	" 32
Seheitz,	" 15	Zink,	" 35
Baehe,	" 17	Zeigler,	" 37

Higman,	No. 38	Bossert,	No. 75
McGinnis,	" 39	Swain,	" 76
McNall,	" 41	Aten,	" 77
Sims,	" 43	Taylor,	" 79
Schuh,	" 44	Thomas,	" 82
Abel,	" 48	Shallcross,	" 83
Eckert,	" 49	Ohl,	" 84
Baer,	" 50	Naylor,	" 87
McGowan,	" 51	James,	" 90
Thwaite,	" 53	Greives,	" 91
Brady,	" 59	Deeker,	" 93
Martin,	" 62	Webb,	" 94
Cornman,	" 63	Shaw,	" 100
Wilhelm,	" 64	Fite,	" 104
Gipple,	" 68	Clymer, D. C.	" 1
Pierson,	" 73	Metzel, "	" 2

Record read and adopted.

P. S.'s Wm. Kuhn, No. 12, H. Sholl, No. 59, and W. A. Magonagle, No. 102, being in waiting, were instructed and admitted to membership.

The Great Sachem, by request, appointed Rep. Greives, No. 91, and Scheidt, No. 15, on the Committee on the State of the Order, to fill vacancies caused by absence.

Rep. McGowan, No. 51, Chairman of the Hall Committee, presented the following report:—

PHILADELPHIA, 19th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Committee on Hall beg leave to report their action for the past six moons.

On the 27th of Corn Moon a meeting was called, and on the roll being called, a quorum was present. We proceeded to act on the question of forming an association, in accordance with a resolution passed by this Great Council. On the vote being taken it was adopted. The Great Chiefs were then instructed to proceed in procuring an Act of Incorporation, as also in accordance with a resolution of this Great Council.

On the 25th of Travelling Moon, owing to a misunderstanding, there was no meeting held.

On the 29th of Beaver Moon, the Great Chiefs reported they were unable to agree on the question of incorporation, and were continued. This being the first grand step towards starting the project in a proper form, it was deemed expedient to act on it first, as the act in itself would

give strength to the Order, in offering the papers to subscribers to the stock when issued in proper form; but after considerable debate the question was referred to the Great Council at its next session. A motion to issue a Circular to the Tribes was carried, a copy of which is herewith annexed. Adjourned to meet on the 3d sleep of Cold Moon, to receive reports on Circular.

On the 3d sleep of Cold Moon answers to Circular were received from fifteen Tribes, nine of which reported the probable number of shares that would be subscribed for. The Tribes so reporting were Nos. 7, 8, 27, 32, 49, 50, 51, 70, 104. These answers being in such a meagre shape that it took the members of the association by surprise, I, as Chairman, thought that if the subscriptions handed in were all that could be obtained, it was a failure; but I am seriously of the opinion that there was a great lack somewhere. First, I find a great fault with a large number of the Representatives, for neglect of duty in not attending the meetings after being notified repeatedly, and by so absenting themselves, were not able to properly lay the subject before their respective Tribes, as the number of Tribes responding will show.

Again, I am constrained to say of the action of some of the great Chiefs, that I differed with them on the point of not having the power to apply for an Act of Incorporation, and base my opinion on the resolution passed by this Great Council, on page 369, presented by P. S. Dumbell, No. 17, which I consider has the preference, as being adopted last, on the giving of power to the Committee on Hall; but I trust the action of this Great Council will devise some definite plan of action, as I still feel confident, if the subject is properly presented to each Tribe, a different response would be received.

Fraternally submitted, in the bonds of F., F., and C.,

DANIEL McGOWAN, *Chairman.*

It was moved that the report be accepted and the Committee continued.

P. S. Dumbell moved that the Committee be discharged, which was lost.

The motion was then adopted.

Rep. Bear moved that the Great Chiefs and Hall Committee be directed to carry out the resolution relative to procuring an act of incorporation.

Rep. Zink moved to amend, provided fifty thousand fathoms are subscribed for.

On which a vote by Tribes was demanded by Rep. Steigerwalt, Brown, Swain, Higman, Sims, and being ordered were as follows:—

Ayes—1, 2, 4, 7, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 22, 28, 30, 31, 35, 37, 39, 41, 47, 61, 62, 63, 64, 68, 75, 76, 77, 82, 83, 84, 90, 91, 93, 94, 100, 102, 107, D. C. 2—38.

Nays—8, 27, 32, 33, 38, 43, 44, 48, 49, 50, 51, 59, 70, 73, 79, 104, D. C. 1—17.

The amendment was agreed to.

P. S. Boyd moved to lay the whole subject on the table.

On which a vote by Tribes was demanded by Rep. Rodbard, Gipple, Swain, Baer, Metzel, and being ordered were as follows:—

Ayes—48, 51, 73, 76.—4.

Nays—1, 2, 4, 7, 8, 13, 14, 15, 17, 19, 22, 27, 28, 30, 31, 32, 33, 35, 37, 38, 39, 41, 43, 47, 49, 50, 59, 61, 62, 63, 64, 68, 70, 75, 77, 79, 82, 83, 84, 90, 91, 93, 94, 100, 102, 104, 107, D. C. 1, 2—48.

The motion to lay on the table was lost.

The motion, as amended, was then adopted.

Committee on Application for Charters presented the following report:—

PHILADELPHIA, 19th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

SIRS AND BROTHERS: The undersigned Committee to whom was referred the several petitions for charters, and for the restoration of the charter of Tribe No. 12, report having given the same their careful attention, and recommend the same be granted, and submit the following resolutions and ask their adoption:—

Resolved, That the application for the restoration of the charter to Tribe No. 12, be granted, under the name of Susquehanna Tribe, No. 12.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Scranton, Luzerne County, be approved, and that a charter be granted to Navajo Tribe, No. 105.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Mauch Chunk, Carbon County, be approved, and that a charter be granted to Chingachqook Tribe, No. 106.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Ashland, Schuylkill County, be approved, and that a charter be granted to Saukie Tribe, No. 107.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Carlisle, Cumberland County, be approved, and that a charter be granted to Conodogwinet Tribe, No. 108.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Philipsburg, Centre County, be approved, and that a charter be granted to Red Warrior Tribe, No. 109.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Plymouth, Luzerne County, be approved, and that a charter be granted to Lackawanna Tribe, No. 110.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Brookville, Jefferson County, be approved, and that a charter be granted to Minnehaha Tribe, No. 111.

Respectfully submitted in F., F., and C.,

FRANK C. KNIPE,
WM. WILHELM,
H. WALKER.

P. S. Moninger moved that the report be accepted and the resolutions adopted, which was agreed to.

Credential of Rep. Wm. A. Magonagle, No. 102, was read, and the brother duly acknowledged.

P. G. S. Madeira, Chairman of the Board of Appeals, presented their report.

P. G. S. Eckert moved that the report be made the special order for the 3d run.

Rep. Musselman moved to amend, to take up the case of Herbert *vs.* Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, which was adopted.

The motion, as amended, was adopted.

Rep. Musselman moved that the action of Wingohocking Tribe be sustained.

P. G. I. Cameron moved that the further consideration of the report be deferred until the 3d run, and that the Board be directed to have all their papers present.

G. C. of R. Baker moved to amend, that the Board be further directed to report in all cases a resolution either to sustain or reverse the action of the Tribe; which was adopted—ayes 54; nays 27.

The motion, as amended, was then adopted.

P. G. S. Eckert moved to take from the table the resolution (page 369) relative to Shawnese Tribe, No. 8.

On motion, the Council fire was quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PHILADELPHIA, 19*th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D.* 379.

Great Council assembled at the 1st run 30th breath, and kindled the Council fire in ample form. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

CHARLES C. CONLEY—Great Sachem.
ADAM SCHUH—Great Senior Sagamore.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Junior Sagamore.
SAMUEL WEAVER—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
SAMUEL B. TAYLOR—Great Sannap.
FREDERICK F. SNYDER—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And the following Representatives:—

Weber,	No.	1	Rulon,	No.	52
Brown,	"	2	Thwaite,	"	53
Gregory,	"	4	Brady,	"	59
Feldman,	"	5	Essig,	"	61
Campernel,	"	8	Martin,	"	62
Waitneight	"	13	Wilhelm,	"	64
Mayfarth,	"	14	Gipple,	"	68
Bache,	"	17	Funk,	"	70
Snyder,	"	19	Pierson,	"	73
Steigerwalt,	"	22	Bossert,	"	75
Hill,	"	26	Swain,	"	76
Green,	"	27	Aten,	"	77
Else,	"	28	Taylor,	"	79
Hatton,	"	29	Thomas,	"	82
Rodbard,	"	30	Shalleross,	"	83
Best,	"	32	Ohl,	"	84
Musselman,	"	33	Naylor,	"	87
Zeigler,	"	37	James,	"	90
Higman,	"	38	Greives,	"	91
McGinnis,	"	39	Decker,	"	93
McNall,	"	41	Webb,	"	94
Sims,	"	43	Shaw,	"	100
Schuh,	"	44	Magonagle,	"	102
Abel,	"	48	Fite,	"	104
Eckert,	"	49	Clymer, D. C.	"	1
Baer,	"	50	Metzel, "	"	2
McGowan,	"	51			

Consideration of the motion to take from the table the resolution relative to Shawnese Tribe, No. 8, was resumed.

On which a vote by Tribes was demanded by Rep. Taylor, Swain, Rodbard, Magonagle, Greives, and being ordered were as follows:—

Ayes—1, 2, 4, 5, 12, 13, 15, 18, 19, 22, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 37, 38, 39, 41, 44, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 53, 59, 61, 62, 63, 64, 68, 70, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 79, 82, 83, 84, 90, 91, 93, 94, 100, 102, 107, D. C. 1, 2—54.

The motion was agreed to, and the resolution adopted.

Committee on Law and Usage presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 19th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage would respectfully report that they have examined and approved of amendments to the laws of Nos. 22, 26, 27, 29, 30, 32, 37, 43, 49, 50, 70, 75, 79, 91, 94; also, full sets of laws for Nos. 53, 77, 79, 90, 98, 100, 101, 103, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110.

The Committee would call the attention of the Great Council to the action of some of the Tribes, who have had their laws printed without submitting them to the Committee for examination and approval. This violation of Section 3 of Article XV seems to be increasing, as several cases have occurred since the last session, and some of the laws appear without the approval of the Committee being upon them. Perhaps the members of the Tribes have done it innocently, not being aware of the law upon the subject. If such is the case, the Committee would suggest that the Great Chiefs, at the institution of new Tribes, call their attention to it, so that ignorance of the law cannot be offered as an excuse for its violation.

Respectfully submitted in F., F., and C.,

E. F. STEWART,
WM. B. ECKERT,
HENRY FELDMAN.

P. S. Moninger moved the report be accepted, which was adopted.

Committee on Law and Usage presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 19th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage having had referred to them the report of the Great Chief of Records, have given it their careful consideration, and are of the opinion that the change made in

the form of the six moons reports of Tribes, will add to the interest of the Order in preserving its internal history.

That referring to the present volume of Proceedings, we think, requires the authority to be given the Great Chief of Records to have the same bound, and offered for sale to such members as wish to have the record in that shape.

In reference to the first volume of the Proceedings, the Great Council should, without hesitation, grant the authority to have it printed, for the purpose of preservation and information. It is a duty which it owes to itself to take such measures as will preserve its record, not only for reference by the present members of the Order, but for those who will subsequently become connected with it.

The few copies remaining on hand of the By-Laws of this Great Council, admonishes us to have them reprinted. As it is evident that some modification and amendments are necessary, in order to meet the wants of the Order, and in furtherance of the various suggestions of the Great Chief of Records, your Committee would offer the following resolutions:—

Resolved, That the Great Chief of Records be and he is hereby authorized to have the reserved copies of the present volume of Proceedings indexed and bound, and offer the same for sale to members of the Order desiring them:

Resolved, That the Great Chief of Records be and he is hereby authorized to have printed, indexed, and bound, the first volume of the Proceedings of this Great Council, and offer the same for sale to such members as desire them.

Resolved, That the By-Laws be referred to the Committee on Law and Usage, with power to submit modifications and amendments for the consideration of this Great Council at its next session.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Great Council are due, and they are hereby tendered to G. C. of R. Baker, for the able and efficient manner in which he has performed the duties of his office.

Submitted in F., F., and C.,

E. F. STEWART,
WM. B. ECKERT,
HENRY FELDMAN.

P. S. Moninger moved that the report be accepted and the resolutions adopted.

P. S. Antrim moved to amend the second resolution, by adding, provided that a sufficient number of copies are subscribed for; which was lost.

The resolutions were then adopted.

Committee on Law and Usage presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 19th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage, having had referred to them that part of the Great Sachem's report containing Decisions, Dispensations, &c., would respectfully submit, that having carefully examined that in reference to Dispensations, we are of the opinion that they are in accordance with the laws and usage of the Order.

In reference to the Decisions—that given upon the complaint of Past Sachems of No. 30 is correct, as no Tribe has the right to adopt a pale face for a less sum than three fathoms; also the action of the Great Chiefs, in the matter of granting relief by the same Tribe, was wise and judicious, and the Tribe deserves commendation for their promptness in acquiescing in the request of the Great Chiefs.

The answer to the question propounded by brother Rich of No. 41, in reference to the raising up the Senior Sagamore to the Sachem's stump in case of vacancy, is correct.

In the case submitted by C. of R. Conrads of No. 71, the Committee differ with the Great Sachem in that part relating to the resignation of appointed chiefs. We are of the opinion that after the appointment has been made and accepted by the brother, the power is taken from the Sachem (except so far as relates to vacancies provided for by law) and assumed by the Tribe, and therefore he has no right to receive a resignation from an appointed chief; but such resignation should be presented to, and, by motion, received by the Tribe, the same as from an elective chief. If such a proceeding was allowed it would cause both trouble and confusion, as well as a conflict of authority between the Sachem and the Tribe.

That submitted by D. G. S. Gipple, in reference to expelled members, is correct in the main, but we would suggest that the consent of the Great Council be obtained first (see Section 7, Article XVIII, Constitution for Tribes) before any other steps be taken in reference thereto.

The answer in reference to the position of the ballot-box is correct.

That in answer to the question in reference to the fee for a dispensation for a pic-nic, to be participated in by other Tribes, is correct, unless said Tribes are pecuniarily interested.

The answer to No. 70 is clearly in accordance with the law.

The reply to No. 33, in reference to electing a Representative to fill a vacancy, is correct.

The Committee would offer the following resolution:—

Resolved, That the thanks of the Great Council are due, and they are hereby tendered to G. S. Conley, for the efficient manner in which he has performed the duties devolving upon him.

Respectfully submitted in F., F., and C.,

E. F. STEWART,
WM. B. ECKERT,
HENRY FELDMAN.

Rep. Snyder moved that the report be accepted and the resolution adopted, which was agreed to.

P. S. Probasco presented a communication from P. S.'s of Chippewa Tribe, No. 51, in relation to a matter between their Tribe and Onondaga Tribe, No. 10, of Washington, requesting the assistance of the Great Council in obtaining redress, and moved it be referred to a committee of three, which was adopted,

Great Sachem appointed P. G. I. Cameron, P. G. S.'s Stewart, and Eckert.

Rep. Kuhn moved that the Committee be authorized to report to the Great Chiefs, and they concurring in their conclusions, that said action be taken without waiting for the next session, which was adopted.

Rep. Rodbard submitted the following question:—

Question.—Can a pale face who has an artificial leg or arm become a member of this Order?

Answer.—A pale face deprived of his arm cannot be adopted; but one with an artificial leg can.

Committee on Parade presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 19th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

SIRS AND BROTHERS:—The Committee of Arrangements on Parade, on the occasion of the celebration of Tammany's Day, G. S. D. 378, respectfully report:—

That they brought a charge against the member of Tuscarora Tribe, No. 29, for conduct unbecoming a Red Man, in reference to matters connected with the celebration, which resulted in his being suspended by the Tribe for six moons.

Pursuant to the resolution adopted at the last session, the Committee have procured a Seal Ring and Cane, which will be presented to brother WM. H. BARTON, at the 9th run of the setting of the present sun, in the presence of the Chiefs of this Great Council. The cost was fifty fathoms.

The Committee cannot close this their final report without referring to the decease of one of their number, brother JOHN CARTER. As a member of the Committee, brother Carter, by personal services and advice, contributed largely to the success attending the object for which the Committee was appointed. An old and zealous member of the Order, he was widely known throughout this jurisdiction. He has passed to his last account, leaving behind an unblemished record. May he rest in peace.

We would suggest that a suitable case be procured for the banner procured by the Committee for the Great Council, to protect it from dust and exposure; and would call upon such of the Mishinewas and Assistant Mishinewas as have not returned their sashes, to do so at once, to the proper Chief of this Great Council.

Fraternally submitted,

ANG. CAMERON, *Chairman.*
MORRIS H. GORHAM, *Secretary.*

HENRY FELDMAN,	PETER CROWELL,
ERNEST A. DRESSLER,	E. F. STEWART,
HARRY S. COYLE,	JAMES A. MOSS,
CHARLES S. ABEL,	A. B. BISHOP.
HENRY MAYFARTH,	

It was moved that the report be accepted, and that the Committee be discharged as soon as the presentation is over, which was adopted.

The Board of Appeals presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 19th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men:

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS:—Your Board of Appeals, appointed at the last session of the Great Council, held at Harrisburg, Hot Moon, G. S. D. 378, would respectfully report the following as their action for the six moons which have just closed.

The Board organized by electing P. G. S. J. F. Madeira, No. 4, as Chairman, and P. S. J. David Miller, No. 22, as Secretary.

1. The first case that claimed the attention of the Board was that of G. W. Robinson *vs.* Idaho Tribe, No. 73, which had been acted on and reported to the Great Council, at its last session in Buck Moon, and which was referred back to this Board, with instructions to report at the next session.

We have given this case special attention; spent several runs in its consideration; re-examined all the testimony and laws bearing on the case, and present the following for your action:—

Resolved, That this Board is of the opinion that the decision of the former Board of Appeals, in the case of G. W. Robinson *vs.* Idaho Tribe, No. 73, was in accordance with the laws approved by the Committee on Law and Usage, to govern said Idaho Tribe, and cannot see any reason for reversing the action of the former Board.

2. The case of appeal, coming from John K. Fisher, against the action of Red Jacket Tribe, No. 44. The appellant, John K. Fisher, was indebted to a brother of Red Jacket Tribe for an amount of wampum, being a balance of a bill for segars. Charges were preferred against Fisher, and the

Tribe, by resolution, allowed him four seven suns to pay the debt. Failing to do this, he should be expelled. Before the expiration of the four seven suns, Fisher found himself unable to pay the amount due, and calling on the brother, they mutually arranged the matter.

The Tribe, upon the expiration of the time, not giving heed to the mutual arrangement of the parties, passed a resolution of expulsion.

The Board recommend the sentence of Red Jacket Tribe, No. 44, in the case of John K. Fisher, be so modified as to read suspension instead of expulsion, and the said John K. Fisher remain suspended until all wampum is paid.

[But in compliance with the directions of this Great Council, we are compelled to report that the Great Council direct Red Jacket Tribe, No. 44, to restore John K. Fisher to membership.]

3. The case of appeal of P. S. John W. Herbert *vs.* Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33. This is a charge of embezzlement, charging the misappropriation of funds ; whereupon brother Herbert was regularly tried by a committee appointed for that purpose, and upon their report the Tribe passed a resolution of suspension for three great suns. This, in the opinion of the Board, is a virtual expulsion from the Order : and inasmuch as there are personalities dragged into this case, the Board offer the following :—

Resolved, That we recommend the Great Council to direct Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, to so modify their sentence in the case of P. S. John W. Herbert, to suspension for one great sun, in place of three great suns, as it now stands.

[But in compliance with the directions of this Great Council, we are compelled to report that this Great Council direct Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, to restore P. S. John W. Herbert to membership.]

4. Wm. R. Hartman *vs.* Otsego Tribe, No. 59, is an appeal from the action of said Otsego Tribe, in expelling said Hartman upon a charge of "violating his obligation and crossing the path of the Tribe." The specifications to this charge set forth that Wm. R. Hartman, while Chief of Records of his Tribe, came in possession of certain funds of the Tribe, which he failed to account for to the Keeper of Wampum. During the progress of the trial it is clearly shown that Hartman paid over all wampum due the Tribe. The Committee make a report of guilty, and thereupon the Tribe pass a resolution of expulsion. From this action brother Hartman appeals, for several reasons, prominent among which are: That he had no notice of the meeting of the Committee in time to meet it and defend himself, and that at the time final action was taken he was not indebted to the Tribe. The Board passed the following action :—

Resolved, That inasmuch as the evidence before the Committee does not show brother Hartman to be indebted (the Committee having received full restitution of all wampum due the Tribe before the final action of the Committee), the Board hereby recommend to the Great Council that the action of Otsego Tribe, No. 59, in the case of William R. Hartman, be

reversed; and that brother Hartman be restored to full membership in said Tribe, upon the payment of all dues, fines, &c., owing the Tribe by him.

Respectfully submitted, in F., F., and C.,

J. F. MADEIRA, *Chairman.*
J. DAVID MILLER, *Secretary.*
H. MAYFARTH, CHAS. S. ABEL,
A. B. BISHOP, C. H. THWAITE.
HENRY FITE,

The case of Herbert *vs.* Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, was considered.

P. S. Boyd moved that the report of the Board be dissented from, and the action of the Tribe sustained.

On the question a vote by Tribes was demanded by Rep. Steigerwalt, Brown, Taylor, Musselman, Rodbard, and being ordered were as follows:—

Ayes—1, 2, 5, 8, 13, 15, 17, 18, 19, 22, 26, 27, 29, 30, 31, 32, 38, 41, 43, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 59, 62, 63, 64, 68, 73, 75, 76, 79, 82, 83, 84, 90, 91, 93, 94, 100, 104, 107, D. C. 1, 2, 3—46.

Nays—4, 14, 20, 28, 39, 48, 70, 77, 87, 102—10.

The case of Robinson *vs.* Idaho Tribe, No. 73, was considered.

P. S. Goldberg moved that the decision of the Board be approved.

P. S. Weber raised the following point of order:—

My point of order is that the report of the Board of Appeals, which relates to Idaho Tribe, No. 73, *vs.* George W. Robinson, is out of order, for the following reasons:—

1. It is against the Constitution. (Article XVII, Section 2.)
2. All By-Laws conflicting with the Constitution are null and void.

Great Sachem decided their action could not be entertained or considered, being contrary to law—to which their action must be made to conform.

The case of Fisher *vs.* Red Jacket Tribe, was considered.

Rep. Baer moved that the decision of the Board be sustained.

P. G. S. Eckert moved to amend, "that the decision of the Board be reversed and the Tribe sustained," which was lost.

The motion was then agreed to.

The Council fire was then duly quenched.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PHILADELPHIA, 19*th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D.* 379.

Great Council assembled at the 7th run setting of the sun, and kindled the council fire in ample form. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

CHARLES C. CONLEY—Great Sachem.
ADAM SCHUH—Great Senior Sagamore.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Junior Sagamore.
SAMUEL WEAVER—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
SAMUEL B. TAYLOR—Great Sannap.
FREDERICK F. SNYDER—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And the following Representatives:—

Weber,	No.	1	Rulon,	No.	52
Brown,	"	2	Thwaite,	"	53
Gregory,	"	4	Brady,	"	59
Feldman,	"	5	Essig,	"	61
Bisbing,	"	7	Martin,	"	62
Campernel,	"	8	Cornman,	"	63
Waitneight,	"	13	Wilhelm,	"	64
Mayfarth,	"	14	Gipple,	"	68
Scheitz,	"	15	Funk,	"	70
Bache,	"	17	Pierson,	"	73
Brown,	"	18	Bossert,	"	75
Snyder,	"	19	Swain,	"	76
Hodges,	"	20	Aten,	"	77
Steigerwalt,	"	22	Taylor,	"	79
Hill,	"	26	Atkinson,	"	81
Green,	"	27	Thomas,	"	82
Else,	"	28	Shallcross,	"	83
Hatton,	"	29	Ohl,	"	84
Rodbard,	"	30	Naylor,	"	87
Best,	"	32	James,	"	90
Musselman,	"	33	Greives,	"	91
Higman,	"	38	Deeker,	"	93
McGinnis,	"	39	Webb,	"	94
McNall,	"	41	Shaw,	"	100
Sims,	"	43	Magonagle,	"	102
Schuh,	"	44	Fite,	"	104
Abel,	"	48	Clymer, D. C.	"	1
Eckert,	"	49	Metzel, "	"	2
Baer,	"	50	Benkeit, "	"	3
McGowan,	"	51			

P. S.'s Henry Duthill, No. 50, and H. Y. Friling, No. 69, being in waiting, were instructed and admitted to membership.

The consideration of the report of the Board of Appeals was resumed.

The case of Hartman *vs.* Otsego Tribe, No. 59, being under consideration—

Rep. Brown moved that the decision of the Board be sustained, which was adopted.

Rep. Eckert moved that the case of Robinson *vs.* Idaho Tribe, No. 73, be referred back to the Board, with instructions to report in accordance with the Constitution, which was adopted.

Committee on State of the Order presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 19th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: We the Committee on the State of the Order, to whom were referred the reports of the Great Sachem and the several Deputies, beg leave to report that the information contained therein is eminently gratifying; evincing a healthy condition of the Tribes in the several Districts of this jurisdiction, and promising increased prosperity and usefulness in the future.

Your Committee would call the attention of this Great Council to the fact that Ongpatonga Tribe, No. 67, is still working without the regalia for their elective chiefs and Past Sachems, required by the Laws and Ritual of the Order; and further, that such failure to comply with the requirements of the Order is not caused by an impoverished condition of the Wampum Belt. Your Committee therefore, while unwilling to cause any great expense to the Tribe, are nevertheless of the opinion that suitable regalia should be provided for the chiefs specified, and would urge an early compliance with the above on the part of No. 67.

In conclusion, your Committee would offer the following:—

Resolved, That the thanks of this Great Council are due, and are hereby tendered to G. S. Conley, for his untiring efforts in the very complete series of visitations which he has made to the various Tribes in this jurisdiction.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Great Council are due, and the same are hereby tendered to Cornplanter Tribe, No. 61, Octoraro Tribe, No. 91, and D. G. S. J. A. Frederick, who, in conjunction with the citizens of Harrisburg generally, rendered our visit to their city at the last session of the Great Council pleasant and agreeable.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Great Council are hereby tendered to the House of Representatives for the use of their Hall at the last session of this Great Council.

Respectfully submitted, in F., F., and C.,

G. K. SWAIN,
ROBERT GRIEVES,
HENRY SCHEITZ.

P. S. Probasco moved that the report be accepted and the resolutions adopted, which was agreed to.

Rep. Rodbard moved to go into nomination for Great Chiefs and Representatives, when the following nominations were made:—

For G. J. S.—F. F. Snyder, No. 19, James McGinnis, No. 39, Thomas D. Rulon, No. 52.

For Representatives to G. C. U. S,—George K. Swain, No. 76, E. T. Baer, No. 50, C. H. Thwaite, No. 53, I. W. Bisbing, No. 7.

P. S. Goldberg offered the following:—

Amend Article XVIII, Section 1: "And no suspension for any one charge shall exceed one great sun."

The Board of Appeals presented the following:—

[In compliance with the directions of the Great Council, we must report according to the Constitution; therefore, we request the Great Council to direct Idaho Tribe, No. 73, to pay to G. W. Robinson the wampum due him under this appeal.]

P. S. Probasco moved that the report be received and adopted, which was agreed to.

Rep. Atkinson submitted the following:—

Question.—Can a Tribe compel a member to appear before a committee when so requested?

Answer.—No.

Rep. Higman moved to rescind the resolution ordering the next session to be held at Gettysburg, and that the session be held at Pittsburg.

P. G. S. Knipe called for a division of the question, when the first part was adopted. The latter part of the motion was adopted.

Rep. Zeigler, No. 37, submitted the following:—

Question.—Where there are more than two candidates for Junior Sagamore can a Sachem of a Tribe, after the first ballot, order the name of the brother having the lowest number of votes to be withdrawn without his own consent or that of the brother who nominated him, in the absence of any law on the subject?

Answer.—No.

P. S. Probasco moved that the usual number of Proceedings be printed, and the G. C. of R. be directed to reserve a sufficient number of copies for binding, which was adopted.

P. G. I. Cameron read a proposition in relation to devising means for building a Hall; whereupon, P. S. Probasco presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the proposition of P. G. I. Cameron be received and approved by this Great Council, and recommended to the favorable consideration of the Committee on Hall.

The Finance Committee presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 19th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Finance Committee would respectfully report that they have examined the accounts of the G. C. of R. and G. K. of W. for the last six moons, and find them to be correct. The following exhibits the state of the Belt:—

	fa.	*ft.*	*in.*
Amount due G. K. of W.	351	8	7
Receipts of session in Buck Moon, percentage, &c. .	2310	5	1
" from sale of 10-40 U. S. bonds . . .	1500	0	0
" premium on " " . . .	150	0	0
	3960	5	1
Paid out as per orders	3967	8	1
Balance due G. K. of W.	7	3	0
Receipts of present session, percentage, &c. . .	1881	4	5
dispensations	144	5	0
charter fees	175	0	0
books, cards, &c.	89	7	0
Absalom Taylor, late of No. 34, dues . .	1	0	3
sale of old regalia	23	0	0
	2314	6	8

We have also examined the following bills and found them correct:—

	fa.	ft.	in.
Advertising sessions of Great Council	3	4	2
M. H. Gorham, office rent	50	0	0
Gas bill	3	0	0
Insurance in Fire Association	10	0	0
G. C. of R., for 2000 envelopes	2	5	0
Express, telegraphing, and stationery	5	5	8
Postage	36	0	0
Postage for Hall Committee	3	0	0
T. K. Donnalley, G. G. of F., salary	7	5	0
Porterage and express to Harrisburg	1	1	0
Hooks, screws, and screw-driver		4	5
Porterage to Hall	1	0	0
A. Schuh, G. S. S., expenses	14	5	0
John Benkert, translating German	20	0	0
Great Council of U. S., supplies	146	6	0
Wm. B. Eckert, printing 600 copies Proceedings, &c.	353	2	5
G. K. of W., Safety Deposit	1	5	0
Pocahontas Tribe, No. 5, rent	5	0	0
J. David Miller, Board of Appeals, stationery, &c.	1	5	0
E. F. Stewart, Com. on Law and Usage, "	6	2	0
A. J. Baker, G. C. of R., salary	75	0	0
Godfrey Kirch, printing 100 copies German Proceedings	102	0	0
Joel H. Weber, No. 1, mileage		8	5
Thomas W. Brown, " 2, "	3	5	0
W. W. Waitneight, " 13, "	1	4	0
Henry Scheitz, " 15, "	17	7	5
W. D. Steigerwalt, " 22, "	3	5	0
D. B. Else, " 28, "	10	2	5
Hugh Hatton, " 29, "		9	0
Jacob S. Zink, " 35, "	11	9	0
James B. Zeigler, " 37, "	4	7	5
James McGinnis, " 39, "	4	1	0
George McNall, " 41, "	4	7	0
C. H. Thwaite, " 53, "		6	5
C. H. Brady, " 49, "	4	1	0
John Essig, " 61, "	5	3	5
Allen Martin, " 62, "		8	5
W. Wilhelm, " 64, "	17	7	5
J. O. Gipple, " 68, "	10	2	0
Henry R. Bossert, " 75, "	2	0	0
Wm. Aten, " 77, "	8	9	5
M. J. Thomas, " 82, "	4	4	5
Jesse Shallcross, " 83, "	2	0	0
E. N. R. Oh, " 84, "	3	3	0

				fa.	ft.	in.
J. R. James,	" 90,	"	. . . . .	6	0	0
Robert Greives,	" 91,	"	. . . . .	5	3	5
Daniel Decker,	" 93,	"	. . . . .	4	7	5
Wm. Webb,	" 94,	"	. . . . .	9	5	0
Andrew Shaw,	" 100,	"	. . . . .	5	7	0
W. A. Magonagle,	" 102,	"	. . . . .	11	1	0
George Metzel, D. C.	" 2,	"	. . . . .	4	7	5

We have carefully examined the reports of the several Tribes and find them to be correct, with the exception of Tribes Nos. 66, 109, and 110, from whom no reports have been received.

We have received a communication from Ottowa Tribe, No. 64, stating that there was an error in their report of last term of 232 fathoms 5 feet, for dues, degrees, and adoptions. If this be so, their return was correct.

Your Committee have prepared a reply to the communication from said Tribe on the subject, which is herewith submitted for your approval, and if complied with, will place No. 64 right on the records.

In our last report we stated that Cherokee Tribe, No. 19, fell short in percentage four fathoms. The same has been paid, under protest.

We would also call the attention of the Great Council to the neglect of some Tribes to forward their reports, percentage, and Past Sachem's credentials, in accordance with the laws of this Great Council. Many reports were not placed in the possession of the G. C. of R. until the commencement of this session. Unless the laws are strictly enforced there is no use in having them on our statute books.

We respectfully offer the following resolutions for your adoption:—

Resolved, That the G. C. of R. communicate with the delinquent Tribes, calling their attention to the laws in reference thereto.

Resolved, That the charters of Tribes Nos. 109 and 110 be withheld until their reports are received, and that the G. C. of R. be directed to send said Tribes a copy of this resolution.

In view of the greatly increased labors of the G. C. of R., incident upon the increase of the Order, we are of the unanimous opinion that his salary should be adequately increased—say to at least 600 fathoms—and recommend that the subject be referred to the Committee on Law and Usage, to be incorporated among the amendments they may have to offer to the Constitution and Laws of this Great Council.

The following is also submitted for your approval:—

Resolved, That the sum of 250 fathoms be appropriated to the Great Sachem to defray his expenses during the past six moons, in visiting the various Tribes, and other duties appertaining to his office.

Resolved, That the sum of 200 fathoms be appropriated to the G. C. of R. for extra services during the term just ended.

Respectfully submitted, in F., F., and C.,

WM. G. HOLLIS,
ANDREW J. FUNK,
THOMAS D. RULON.

Rep. Baer moved that the report be accepted.

The resolutions being under consideration, the first and second were adopted.

The resolution making an appropriation to the Great Sachem, P. S. Dumbell moved to lay on the table, which was lost—ayes 39; nays 42.

P. S. Hartley moved to strike out two hundred and fifty, and insert one hundred, which was lost.

The resolution was then adopted.

The resolution making an appropriation to the Great Chief of Records being under consideration—

P. S. Whitehead moved to strike out two hundred, and insert one hundred.

P. S. Dumbell moved to insert two hundred and fifty, which was adopted.

The resolution, as amended, was then adopted.

A motion that a session be held on to-morrow's sun, at the 9th run, was adopted—ayes 65; nays 23.

The Council fire was then quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PHILADELPHIA, *20th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D.* 379.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled, and kindled the Council fire in ample form, at the 9th run rising of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

CHARLES C. CONLEY—Great Sachem.
ADAM SCHUH—Great Senior Sagamore.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Junior Sagamore.
SAMUEL WEAVER—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
SAMUEL B. TAYLOR—Great Sannap.
FREDERICK F. SNYDER—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And the following Representatives:—

Weber,	No.	1	Rulon,	No.	52
Brown,	"	2	Thwaite,	"	53
Gregory,	"	4	Essig,	"	61
Campernel,	"	8	Martin,	"	62
Waitneight,	"	13	Wilhelm,	"	64
Mayfarth,	"	14	Gipple,	"	68
Scheitz,	"	15	Pierson,	"	73
Bache,	"	17	Bossert,	"	75
Snyder,	"	19	Swain,	"	76
Steigerwalt,	"	22	Aten,	"	77
Green,	"	27	Taylor,	"	79
Else,	"	28	Thomas,	"	82
Best,	"	32	Ohl,	"	84
Musselman,	"	33	Naylor,	"	87
Zink,	"	35	Greives,	"	91
Zeigler,	"	37	Decker,	"	93
McGinnis,	"	39	Webb,	"	94
McNall,	"	41	Shaw,	"	100
Schuh,	"	44	Magonagle,	"	102
Eckert,	"	49	Fite,	"	104
Baer,	"	50	Clymer, D. C.	"	1
McGowan,	"	51	Metzel, "	"	2

Record of session read and adopted.

P. S. Bishop presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the thanks of this Great Council are due, and are hereby tendered to the Great Sachem for the sumptuous entertainment which he furnished to the members of this Great Council, and also to Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, for the kind entertainment and grateful manner in which they received this Great Council.

Rep. Brown moved that the sum of fifteen fathoms be appropriated to the Great Prophet, for expenses incurred in attending the session, which was adopted.

The Great Council, on motion, proceeded to exemplify the Private Work.

P. S. Probasco presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, In view of the exhausted condition of the Belt of the Great Council, that economy be enjoined upon all who have authority to contract bills payable by the Great Council.

Rep. Eckert moved that the Great Chiefs be authorized to omit from the printed record, and withhold from the public press, all matter that it may not be judicious to place before the public; which, on motion of P. G. I. Cameron, was laid on the table.

P. S. Probasco presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the Representatives to the Great Council of the United States have the decision in the matter of a Tribe in Kentucky denying admittance to a brother who was in arrears and without the S. A. P. W., and have the same decided in accordance with the law and usages of the Order.

Rep. Swain, No. 76, submitted the following:—

Question.—Has a P. S. the right to wear a P. S.'s regalia while acting as Sachem?

Answer.—He has not; but must wear the Sachem's regalia.

Question.—Has the G. of F. a right to leave his wicket and come into the wigwam during the burning of the council fire?

Answer.—The duties of the G. of F. are specified in the law, and he cannot leave his post unless by consent of the Sachem.

Rep. Aten, No. 77, submitted the following:—

Question.—In electing a brother to a degree is the vote taken in open council; if so, need a vote be taken again after the fire is kindled in the degree form—if in open council, does the brother remain while the vote is taken?

Answer.—The ballot must be had in open council, and the brother cannot be compelled to leave the wigwam. In Degree Councils they are governed by the Ritual of the degrees.

Question.—Is it necessary to have all the appointed stumps filled before proceeding to business each sleep?

Answer.—No.

Question.—If the S. S. is not present at the raising up, nor at the next council sleep, what is to be done?

Answer.—The Tribe should be governed by their laws in reference to the absence of elective chiefs.

Question.—If a committee on a pale face report him unworthy of becoming a Red Man, must the pale face be balloted for?

Answer.—Yes.

Rep. Zeigler, No. 37, submitted the following:—

Question.—Can a Tribe reconsider a motion or resolution at a council sleep subsequent to that on which the motion or resolution proposed to be reconsidered was passed?

Answer.—It can be reconsidered at the next stated council, unless the subject to be reconsidered has passed beyond their control.

Question.—Can a Tribe rescind, absolutely, a motion or resolution passed at a previous council sleep?

Answer.—It can, unless the matter has passed beyond their control.

Council fire quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

RECEIPTS FROM BOOKS, CARDS, &c.

FURNISHED TO TRIBES.

No.	*fa.*	*ft.*	*in.*	*No.*	*fa.*	*ft.*	*in.*
2	5	9	0	61	3	6	0
4		3	0	63		6	0
5		7	5	64	2	0	0
7		7	5	69		5	0
12	18	7	5	71	4	0	0
13	3	2	4	75	2	0	0
14		9	0	79	1	0	5
15		9	0	87	1	2	0
27	3	0	0	91	1	9	5
32		3	0	93	3	6	0
35	5	0	0	96	1	8	0
37	8	0	0	97	2	0	0
43		9	6	104	1	5	0
44	4	9	0	105	2	1	0
48	3	0	0	106	1	2	5
52		9	0				
60	3	0	0		89	7	0

RECEIPTS FROM DISPENSATIONS.

	fa.	*ft.*	*in.*
Amount received by G. S. Charles C. Conley	40	5	0
" " G. S. S. Adam Schuh	11	0	0
" " G. P. Samuel Weaver	2	0	0
" " D. G. S. Joel H. Weber	3	0	0
" " " Norris T. Smith	7	0	0
" " " Oswald Heckmann	12	0	0
" " " J. W. Whitman	3	0	0
" " " John Packwood	8	5	0
" " " J. Oliver Gipple	4	0	0
" " " John Hays	12	0	0
" " " M. J. Thomas	3	0	0
" " " J. A. Frederick	18	5	0
" " " Thomas E. Weber	3	0	0
" " " Wm. Aten	8	0	0
" " " E. N. R. Ohl	3	0	0
" " " Thomas B. Richard	6	0	0
	144	5	0

SIX MOONS REPORT OF TRIBES FOR THE TERM ENDING 31ST OF HUNTING MOON, G. S. D. 378.

TRIBES.	No.	Amount of receipts.	Expended for seven suns benefits.	Expended for funeral benefits.	Expended for other purposes.	Percentage paid Great Council.	Number of members.	Past Sachems.	Adopted.	Rejected.	Suspended.	Expelled.	Reinstated	Admitted by card.	Withd'n by card.	Deceased.
		fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.										
Tecumseh	1	383 8 0	48 0 0	50 0 0	137 4 9	23 0 2	108	5	6	2	..	..	..	1	1	1
Metamora	2	367 6 1	162 0 0	86 5 0	283 5 7	22 0 5	229	30	15	2	17	..	3	..	2	1
Kuquenaku	4	304 2 0	28 0 0	50 0 0	188 3 3	18 2 5	95	21	5	..	9	..	..	..	1	1
Pocahontas	5	614 6 4	280 0 0	....	....	36 8 8	320	31	11	..	7	..	1	..	..	..
Wyoming	7	254 8 6	56 5 4	50 0 0	226 3 3	15 2 9	87	14	8	..	21	..	..	..	..	2
Shawnese	8	297 7 6	114 0 0	130 4 1	185 3 0	17 8 6	117	26	2	..	12	..	1	..	..	2
Susquehanna	12	139 5 0	....	....	50 4 0	8 3 7	26	1	18	..	..	..	5	3	..	..
Perkiomen	13	386 1 0	....	....	224 4 5	23 1 7	95	5	28	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mohawk	14	254 5 3	226 0 0	180 0 0	79 1 5	15 2 7	142	23	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	4
Pontiac	15	540 8 6	290 0 0	....	630 2 5	32 4 5	188	13	6	2	6	..	2	..	..	..
Chattahoochee	17	199 6 6	6 0 0	....	129 5 0	11 9 7	70	14	6	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Pequod	18	1500 3 3	832 0 0	....	504 8 2	90 0 1	376	39	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Cherokee	19	376 0 5	83 0 0	....	641 9 1	22 5 6	148	23	4	..	12	1	..	..	..	..
Pawnee	20	262 4 0	....	....	117 8 4	15 7 4	51	6	40	..	..	..	9	1	..	..
Eeshahkonee	22	692 9 0	147 0 0	85 0 0	594 7 8	41 5 7	290	39	9	1	14	..	1	..	..	1
Black Hawk	26	395 1 6	208 0 0	....	320 3 7	23 7 1	119	16	7	..	15	..	..	..	..	..
Mohegan	27	482 5 8	132 0 0	....	423 3 6	28 9 5	165	19	16	..	9	..	1	..	..	..
Conestoga	28	304 9 0	52 0 0	....	309 7 6	18 2 6	104	9	13	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Tuscarora	29	480 4 3	154 0 0	....	182 6 9	28 8 3	169	19	4	2	10	1	..	..	3	..
Seminole	30	413 1 5	215 0 0	....	194 2 9	24 7 9	164	15	4	..	9	..	..	1	..	..
Cayugas	31	238 6 6	156 0 0	30 0 0	95 4 0	14 3 0	110	14	5	1	7	..	1	..	2	1
Wissahickon	32	270 9 9	109 0 0	40 0 0	367 3 7	16 2 5	99	18	15	..	10	..	2	..	..	1
Wingohocking	33	852 9 3	260 0 0	150 0 0	517 4 6	51 1 7	252	13	12	..	21	..	1	..	1	1
Winnebago	35	256 0 5	8 0 0	21 1 5	304 4 2	15 3 7	90	9	7	..	..	..	2	1	1	1
Conewago	37	693 2 3	91 5 0	250 0 0	312 2 1	41 6 0	251	28	14	2	17	..	..	1	..	1
Sagoyewatha	38	388 3 0	476 0 0	25 0 0	135 1 3	23 3 0	172	16	7	..	9	..	..	..	..	..
Chiquesalungo	39	350 0 2	234 2 2	50 0 0	....	21 0 0	150	14	11	1	16	..	..	..	..	1
Seneca	41	308 5 6	48 0 0	....	260 5 6	18 5 1	101	14	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Iroquois	42	173 2 2	179 7 5	....	198 0 4	10 3 9	85	18	1	..	2	..	1	1	..	..
Narraganset	43	332 1 2	176 0 0	48 0 0	162 8 4	19 9 2	117	17	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	2
Red Jacket	44	475 4 9	220 0 0	87 5 0	225 0 5	28 5 0	205	20	20	3	..	2	..	..	..	1
Uppowoc	47	146 1 7	....	....	60 4 5	8 7 7	70	17	2	..	6	..	..	..	..	..
Powhatan	48	556 9 7	104 0 0	75 0 0	104 0 3	33 4 1	156	19	14	..	12	..	1	..	..	1
Coaquanock	49	385 3 2	365 0 0	60 0 0	121 3 9	23 1 5	123	20	4	..	6	..	..	..	..	1
Miquon	50	266 9 9	124 0 0	20 0 0	107 6 2	16 0 2	82	15	7	1	8	..	3	..	..	..
Chippewa	51	416 5 5	256 0 0	....	376 7 7	25 0 0	170	24	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Camanchee	52	532 4 9	298 0 0	....	151 4 2	31 9 4	161	15	7	..	7	..	1	..	..	1
Washita	53	539 0 9	122 0 0	....	997 1 7	32 3 5	198	15	12	2	7	..	..	..	..	..
Wyandotte	54	86 3 1	52 0 0	....	191 6 2	5 1 7	65	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Wyalusing	56	355 1 7	350 0 0	....	160 2 6	21 3 1	137	15	11	..	3	..	..	..	..	..
Allegheny	57	641 5 0	271 0 0	102 0 0	273 0 1	38 4 3	207	9	14	1	8	1	..	..	..	1
Allequippa	58	100 0 0	....	....	36 6 5	6 0 0	34	8	7	..	33	..	..	..	..	..
Otsego	59	180 8 2	108 0 0	....	96 5 0	19 8 5	75	8	6	1	2	1	1	..	..	..

Wyandotte	59	306	1	0	290	0	0				38	4	3	207			14			8							
Pawnee	60	441	2	0	271	0	0	102	0	0	273	0	1	38	9	3	31			33							
Kickapoo	61	103	8	0							36	0	5	31	8	7											
Kickapoo-Pawling	60	270	1	0	73	0	0				132	8	5	16	2	1	105	9	1	8	1		1				
Beaver	62	278	6	5	103	0	0	20	0	0	157	3	6	16	7	1	127	5	7	..	12	..	1	..	..	..
Wawatam	63	223	2	1	52	5	0	....			82	0	1	13	3	9	97	8	3	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Ottowa	64	481	1	4	87	0	0	....			231	7	8	29	0	5	142	7	16	..	4	..	..	1	..	..
Kishacaquillas	65	102	2	5	17	0	0	40	0	0	25	0	0	6	1	3	50	6	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kiskiminitas	66	310	7	5	50	0	0	....			273	4	2	18	6	4	104	6	7	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Ongpatonga	67	188	8	7	39	0	0	....			69	1	4	11	3	3	77	4	3	1	4	..	..	..	1	..
Arrapahoe	68	246	4	2	6	0	0	30	0	0	186	9	9	14	7	8	83	4	5	1	6	..	1	..	1	1
Shohomokin	69	188	3	6	87	2	5	....			166	3	7	11	3	0	91	7	2	..	7	..	..	..	1	..
Penobscot	70	484	7	0	78	0	0	25	0	0	553	9	4	29	0	8	178	8	11	1	17	..	..	..	..	..
Mattawana	71	113	1	7	73	5	0	30	0	0	86	1	7	6	7	9	50	5	4	..	1	..	..	..	1	1
Tonnaluka	72	133	5	5	4	0	0	....			41	4	8	8	1	3	37	5	2	1	3	..	1	..	..	..
Idaho	73	667	6	7	50	0	0	....			582	7	8	40	0	6	207	4	44	..	7	1	1	2	1	1
Juniata	74	163	1	5	....			....			87	8	2	9	7	9	79	4	4	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Winona	75	113	8	0	19	0	0	....			108	0	5	6	8	2	66	4	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nevada	76	588	9	8	301	0	0	335	0	0	215	1	9	35	3	4	273	8	1	..	60	..	..	..	..	4
Mahoning	77	285	1	3	62	0	0	...			124	3	0	17	1	0	98	4	2	1	3	..	..	..	1	..
Codorus	78	288	6	9	21	7	5	....			309	7	6	17	3	2	74	3	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Minnewa	79	253	6	6	35	0	0	25	0	0	268	3	0	15	2	2	124	3	10	..	27	..	3	..	..	1
Swatara	80	81	7	0	....			....			....			4	9	0	31	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tonnawanda	81	249	4	3	65	0	0	20	0	0	210	9	8	14	9	7	74	5	13	1	2	..	..	1	..	..
Miami	82	219	5	7	27	0	0	53	3	3	59	2	5	13	1	7	73	3	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Onondaga	83	165	5	0	36	0	0	....			138	0	4	9	9	5	72	4	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Saranac	84	164	7	5	57	0	0	....			139	3	7	9	8	9	66	3	4	1	1	..	..	..	..	1
Tamany	85	110	0	5	22	0	0	....			81	5	4	6	6	2	49	3	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	1
Lenni	86	368	8	3	112	0	0	40	0	0	....			22	1	1	107	3	17	2	7	..	..	..	..	1
Sioux	87	572	9	4	37	0	0	....			295	1	6	34	3	7	149	2	90	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
Kittatinny	88	85	1	5	28	0	0	....			40	0	0	5	1	0	26	2	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waunepewink	89	191	8	5	....			....			187	8	6	11	5	1	58	3	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kickapoo	90	216	3	5	....			....			63	7	4	12	9	8	48	3	12	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Octoraro	91	452	6	0	48	5	0	100	0	0	406	6	5	27	1	5	120	3	12	1	5	..	..	..	2	1
Wopwollopen	92	200	0	0	....			....			38	4	2	12	0	0	60	4	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Conewingo	93	585	6	0	....			30	0	0	221	5	5	35	1	4	151	3	29	10	10	..	..	..	..	..
Honayawus	94	224	7	3	4	5	0	....			109	4	0	13	4	8	50	2	10	1	5	1	5	..	..	..
Otzinachson	95	61	2	5	....			....			66	0	0	3	6	7	40	2	3	..	1	..	..	1	..	..
Juskakaka	96	94	3	0	....			....			90	7	4	5	7	5	27	2	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Malaeska	97	66	2	2	....			....			....			3	9	7	15	2	8	..	..	..	..	..	9	..
Alpharetta	98	81	9	4	....			....			93	6	7	4	9	2	36	2	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Standing Stone	99	161	1	6	....			....			45	4	3	9	6	7	35	1	7	2	..	..	..	1	..	..
Yo Semite	100	471	7	7	95	5	0	....			351	3	8	28	3	0	60	1	28	5	..	..	..	..	..	1
Uncas	101	139	3	4	....			....			76	6	9	8	3	6	43	1	18	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bald Eagle	102	182	8	5	....			....			141	1	7	10	9	8	35	2	11	2	..	..	..	1	..	..
Youghiogheny	103	429	5	0	....			....			387	7	5	25	7	7	73	1	25	3	..	1	..	..	..	..
Absaraka	104	500	9	7	27	0	0	....			235	8	9	30	0	5	102	2	94	1	..	..	..	8	..	..
Navajo	105	460	9	5	....			....			242	3	6	27	6	5	53	..	51	2	..	..	..	2	..	..
Chingachqook	106	227	3	0	....			....			178	0	4	13	6	3	44	..	44	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Saukie	107	325	9	0	....			....			452	3	7	19	5	5	105	1	105	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Conodogwinit	108	417	7	5	....			....			185	6	5	25	0	7	42	..	35	2	..	..	..	7	..	..
Red Warrior	109	395	8	0	....			....			380	0	0	19	3	5	43	..	42	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Lackawanna	110	301	9	5	....			....			156	9	8	15	3	2	27	..	28	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
Leni Lenape D.C.	1	100	9	0	145	0	0	....			63	0	6	6	0	5	38	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Algonquin D. C.	2	66	0	5	4	0	0	....			27	2	9	4	0	0	31	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Pocahontas D. C.	3	78	7	3	15	0	0	50	0	0	23	8	1	4	7	0	50	..	6	..	3	..	..	..	..	1

DIRECTORY OF THE IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN OF PENNSYLVANIA.

TRIBES.	NO.	SLEEP.	LOCATION.	PLACE OF MEETING.	CHIEF OF RECORDS.	POST OFFICE ADDRESS.
Tecumseh	1	Thursday	Norristown	....	Joel H. Weber	Norristown.
Metamora	2	Wednesday	Lancaster	Fulton Hall, Prince Street	Samuel M. Wetzel	Lancaster, East King St.
Kuquenaku	4	Thursday	Philadelphia	Third St. above Brown	Gotlieb Ubele	S. E. c. Wildey & Shack'n.
Pocahontas	5	Thursday	"	N. W. cor. Fourth and Walnut Sts	Fr. Aug. Buchman	Rear 802 South Sixth St.
Wyoming	7	Wednesday	"	" " "	Charles H. Lukens	401 Mifflin Street.
Shawnese	8	Friday	"	" " "	C. A. Winkworth	1237 Market Street.
Susquehanna	12	Friday	Harrisburg	No. 304 North Second Street	Samuel Ake	Harrisburg.
Perkiomen	13	Thursday	Phœnixville	Sons of Temperance Hall	Frederick B. Shunk	Phoenixville.
Mohawk	14	Friday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	John H. Passau	917 Thompson Street.
Pontiac	15	Wednesday	Pittsburg	....	Oswald Heckmann	Box 283.
Chattahoochee	17	Wednesday	Philadelphia	Assistance Hall, Sixth and Coates Sts	R. M. Trout	101 Walnut Street.
Pequod	18	Thursday	"	Mechanics' Hall, 6th and Germantown Av.	J. Knight	2207 North Fourth St.
Cherokee	19	Thursday	"	No. 1135 Parrish Street	Joseph P. Young	2317 Ridge Avenue.
Pawnee	20	Wednesday	"	S. E. cor. Tenth and Vine Sts	George Bertram	2130 Summer Street.
Eeshahkonee	22	Monday	Lancaster	Fulton Hall, Prince Street	Peter C. Hensel	E. King St., Lancaster.
Black Hawk	26	Tuesday	Philadelphia	Norris and Sepviva Streets	Henry Snyder	1225 Malborough Street.
Mohegan	27	Monday	"	N. W. cor. Eighth and Spring Garden Sts	E. F. Stewart	1308 Oxford Street.
Conestoga	28	Tuesday	Williamsport	Morse's Hall	James Allison	Williamsport.
Tuscarora	29	Monday	Chester	Penn Building, cor. James and Market Sts.	Wm. Kelly	Chester, Del. Co. Box 253.
Seminole	30	Tuesday	Germantown	Temperance Hall, Mill St	Francis Rodbard	188 Haines Street.
Cayugas	31	Friday	Gettysburg	McConaughy's Hall	Wm. B. Meals	Gettysburg.
Wissahickon	32	Tuesday	Philadelphia	No. 1530 Ridge Avenue	John Gardner	1118 Parrish Street.
Wingohocking	33	Friday	Frankford	Odd Fellows' Hall	Henry G. Townsend	341 Margaret Street.
Winnebago	35	Tuesday	Altoona	Shannon's Hall	Wm. Stimer	Altoona, Box 86.
Conewago	37	Wednesday	York	Washington Hall	John Hays	York.
Sagoyewatha	38	Saturday	Philadelphia	Central Hall, Frankford Road and Master.	George M. Brooke	1207 Savery Street.
Chiquesalungo	39	Tuesday	Columbia	Odd Fellows' Hall	B. F. Mullen	Columbia, Box 81.
Seneca	41	Thursday	Pottsville	Town Hall	Joseph C. Holt	Pottsville, Box 437.
Iroquois	42	Monday	Mifflintown	S. W. cor. Bridge and Water Sts	Ben F. Kepner	Mifflintown, Juniata Co.
Narraganset	43	Friday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	R. S. Monroe	239 Girard Avenue.
Red Jacket	44	Friday	Lancaster	Fulton Hall, Prince Street	Joseph Gerlach	Beaver Street.
Uppowoc	47	Tuesday	West Chester	S. W. cor Gay and High Sts	Norris T. Smith	Box 350, West Chester.
Powhatan	48	Thursday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	John C. Moore	952 Lawrence Street.
Coaquanock	49	Friday	"	Broadway Hall, Broad and Spring Garden.	Wm. H. Pool	1421 Barclay Street.
Miquon	50	Wednesday	"	Odd Fellows' Hall, Ridge Avenue & 23d St.	Wm. G. Hollis	2208 Oxford Street.
Chippewa	51	Wednesday	"	S. W. cor. Tenth and South St	J. T. Akin	1015 Clement Street.
Camanchee	52	Monday	"	G. I. Eng. House, Allen ab. Frankford R'd.	Andrew J. Miles	1249 Palmer Street.
Washita	53	Saturday	Conshohocken.	Stemple's Hall	John P. Armitage	Conshohocken, Box 47.
Wyandotte	54	Friday	Oxford	....	James Black	Oxford, Chester County.
Wyalusing	56	Friday	Philadelphia	Odd Fellows' Hall, Falls of Schuylkill	Thomas Leask	Falls of Schuylkill.
Allegheny	57	Monday	Allegheny City.	N. E. cor. East and First Sts	Vinzenz Morath	124 Ohio Street.
Allequippa	58	Friday	Pittsburg	Corner of Grant and Diamond Sts	W. James McGratty	No. 1 Diamond, Allegheny.
Otsego	59	Friday	Mount Joy	....	J. Gerhart Metzgar.	Mount Joy.
Kickenapawling.	60	Tuesday	Johnstown	Odd Fellows' Hall	Edward C. Thomas.	Johnstown, Cambria Co.
Cornplanter	61	Monday	Harrisburg	No. 304 North Second St	Conrad Miller	125 Chestnut Street.

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Wawatam	63	Thursday	Roxborough	Odd Fellows' Hall	Walter J. Kent	Roxborough.
Ottowa	64	Saturday	Birmingham	Druid's Hall, corner Carson and McKee	Wm. Wilhelm	Buchanan P. O., Box 295.
Kishacaquillas	65	Friday	Conestoga C'r	....	Benj. F. Hookey	Conestoga C'r, Lanc. Co.
Kiskiminitas	66	Saturday	Johnstown	Odd Fellows' Hall	L. D. Woodruff	Johnstown.
Ongpatonga	67	Friday	Lewistown	....	John Clarke	Lewistown.
Arrapahoe	68	Thursday	Huntingdon	Red Men's Hall	A. B. Flood	Huntingdon, Box 40.
Shohomokin	69	Thursday	Sunbury	....	J. H. Blain	Sunbury.
Penobscot	70	Thursday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts.	George Hartzel	1737 Marshall Street.
Mattawana	71	Tuesday	McVeytown	....	Edmund Conrad	McVeytown.
Tonnaluka	72	Wednesday	Irwin Station	....	Philip Bussue	Irwin Station, W. Co.
Idaho	73	Wednesday	Philadelphia	Southwark Library Hall, 2d and German	Robert A. Shaw	230 McClellan Street.
Juniata	74	Thursday	Reading	406 Penn Street	Thos. E. Weber	Reading.
Winona	75	Saturday	Pottstown	Market Hall	H. R. Bossert	Pottstown, Mont. Co.
Nevada	76	Wednesday	Philadelphia	Central Hall, Frankford Road and Master	Jesse Watson	408 Sargent Street.
Mahoning	77	Thursday	Danville	Montgomery's Building, Mill St	Henry A. Kneibler	Danville, Box 416.
Codorus	78	Tuesday	York	Hartman's Building, Centre Square	Henry Schum	York.
Minnewa	79	Tuesday	Philadelphia	S. E. cor. Tenth and Vine Sts	G. W. Livars	201 Willow Street.
Swatara	80	Monday	N. Hamilton	....	Joseph B. Ewing	Newton Hamilton, M. C.
Tonnawanda	81	Wednesday	Media	....	Jorell L. Kelley	Media, Box 113.
Miami	82	Tuesday	Cressona	....	F. W. Snyder	Cressona.
Onondaga	83	Monday	Coatesville	Good Templars' Hall	L. H. Humphreys	Coatesville, Chester Co.
Saranac	84	Wednesday	Easton	Third and Ferry Streets	James D. Smith	Phillipsburg, N. J.
Tamany	85	Wednesday	Altoona	Shannon's Hall	George Bleiler	Altoona, Box 453.
Lenni	86	Thursday	Lima	....	A. V. B. Smith	Howelville P. O., Del. Co.
Sioux	87	Wednesday	Philadelphia	Sixth and Christian Streets	John S. Boyle	231 Levant Street.
Kittatinny	88	Wednesday	Marysville	....	Cyrus Rhoads	Marysville.
Waunepewink	89	Monday	Shrewsbury	....	Geo. W. Folckemmer	Shrewsbury.
Kickapoo	90	Wednesday	Gordon	....	A. A. Ammermann	Gordon.
Octoraro	91	Tuesday	Harrisburg	No. 301 North Second Street	John L. Dawson	Harrisburg.
Wopwollopen	92	Wednesday	Berwick	Odd Fellows' Hall	George H. Wells	Berwick.
Conewingo	93	Friday	York	....	Wm. O. Goodling	York, 334 South Duke St.
Honayawus	94	Tuesday	Bloomsburg	....	Richard Buchanan	Bloomsburg.
Otzinachson	95	Tuesday	Lock Haven	....	Wm. Lotskup	Lock Haven.
Juskakaka	96	Thursday	Duncannon	....	Philip F. Michener	Duncannon.
Malaeska	97	Wednesday	Clarion	....	J. R. Haun	Clarion.
Alpharetta	98	Thursday	Millerstown	....	J. H. Sponsler	Millerstown.
Standing Stone	99	Tuesday	Mapleton	....	Albert M. Parker	Mapleton.
Yo Semite	100	Monday	Glen Rock	....	Wm. Boeckel	Glen Rock.
Uncas	101	Monday	Waynesboro	....	John B. Russell	Waynesboro'.
Bald Eagle	102	Thursday	Tyrone	....	James Haslett	Tyrone.
Youghiogheny	103	Wednesday	Birmingham	....	John W. Carb	Buchanan P. O.
Absaraka	104	Tuesday	Philadelphia	Corner Thirty-Seventh and Market Sts	Byron E. Eno	Hestonville.
Navajo	105	Tuesday	Scranton	....	C. B. Hopkins	Scranton.
Chingachgook	106	Monday	Mauch Chunk	Odd Fellows' Hall	Jacob Sandel	Mauch Chunk.
Saukie	107	Tuesday	Ashland	Corner Third and Centre Streets	Theophilus J. Lewis	Ashland.
Conodogwinit	108	Thursday	Carlisle	....	John Yaiser	74 E. Main Street.
Red Warrior	109	Tuesday	Philipsburg	....	Sol. Schmidt	Philipsburg, Centre Co.
Lackawanna	110	Thursday	Plymouth	Odd Fellows' Hall	J. W. S. McDonald	Plymouth.
Minnehaha	111		Brookville	....	John McMurray	Brookville.
Leni Lenape D.C.	1	2d & 4th Tu.	Philadelphia	S. W. cor. Tenth and Filbert Sts	Joseph W. Clymer	1022 Wharton Street.
Algonquin D. C.	2	2d & 4th Th.	York	Washington Hall	John Hays	York.
Pocahontas D. C.	3	1st Tuesday.	Philadelphia	N. W. cor. Fourth and Walnut Sts	John H. Passau	917 Thompson Street.

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Office of G. C. of R. of Pennsylvania,

IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS:

The Great Council at its last session having ordered the FIRST VOLUME of its PROCEEDINGS to be printed and sold to members of the Order, the G. C. of R. will be pleased to receive orders for copies of the same.

This Volume will contain the proceedings from its institution to G. S. 5617 (G. S. D. 366), and will be to many a new and interesting history of the Order in this jurisdiction.

Many of the active participants in the early legislation of the Great Council have passed away, and some of the Tribes then in active existence are known by name to but few of the present members of the Order.

Fraternally yours,

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

G. S. D. 379.

IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

GREAT COUNCIL OF PENNSYLVANIA.

PITTSBURG, 19*th Sun*, *Buck Moon*, *G. S. D.* 379.

The Great Council of Pennsylvania, Improved Order of Red Men, assembled in regular session, at Pontiac Wigwam, No. 67 Fifth Avenue. Council fire kindled in ample form, at the 8th run. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

CHARLES C. CONLEY—Great Sachem.
ADAM SCHUH—Great Senior Sagamore.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Junior Sagamore.
SAMUEL WEAVER—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
SAMUEL B. TAYLOR—Great Sannap.
GEORGE K. SWAIN—Great Guard of Wigwam, *pro tem.*
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

The G. C. of R. proceeded to read the records of the last session.

Rep. Eckert moved the further reading be dispensed with, and the record adopted as printed, which was agreed to.

Great Sachem appointed P. S.'s Hartley and Ziegler as tellers, and Rep. Brown, No. 2, as clerk, to open and count the election returns for Great Chiefs and Representatives to the Great Council of the United States.

Great Sachem read the following report:—

GREAT SACHEM'S REPORT.

PITTSBURG, 19th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania,
Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND REPRESENTATIVES: I tender you all a brother's greeting. The Great Spirit in his goodness has permitted us to gather from our distant hunting grounds, to consult with each other for the good of our beloved Order. May He so direct us that we may ever remember our duty to Himself, to our brethren, and to ourselves.

INSTITUTION OF TRIBES.

Petitions duly signed have been received, and after due consideration by the Great Chiefs, dispensations have been issued for the following Tribes, which have been duly instituted by the Great Chiefs or qualified deputies:—

NEMOCALLING TRIBE, No. 112, Brownsville, Fayette County; application signed by twenty pale faces; received 25th of Cold Moon; instituted by D. G. S. Heckmau and P. S. Rebman, on the 16th of Snow Moon. Chiefs: J. M. Hutchinson, Sachem: Jas. B. Vandyke, S. S.; D. P. Swearer, J. S.; A. V. Smith, C. of R.; E. N. Coon, K. of W.; R. J. Pattou, Prophet.

OSAGE TRIBE, No. 113, Philadelphia; petition signed by six brothers and forty-three pale faces; received 26th of Cold Moon; instituted by the Great Chiefs on the 11th of Snow Moon. Chiefs: John Beamish, Sachem; John Laird, S. S.; Sam'l Glenn, J. S.; Harry Anderson, C. of R.; John Wiley, K. of W.; Jas. McClain, Prophet.

CHICKASAW TRIBE, No. 114, Charlestown, Chester County; petition signed by twenty brothers; received 24th of Snow Moon; instituted on the 7th of Worm Moon by myself, the G. C. of R., G. G. of F., P. S.'s Houseman of No. 19, and Craighead of No. 51. Chiefs: Z. S. Colehower, Sachem; Jos. G. Bennett, S. S.; Jesse B. K. Young, J. S.; Roger M. Little, C. of R.; Geo. Pennepacker, K. of W.; John Shoffner, Prophet.

ITAH TRIBE, No. 115, Allegheny City; petition signed by six brothers and twenty pale faces; received 28th of Snow Moon; instituted on the 2d of Worm Moon by D. G. S. Heckman and P. S. Rebman, assisted by a number of the members of Nos. 15, 57, 58, 64 and 103. Chiefs: W. J. McGratty, Sachem; A. N. Hutchinson, S. S.; R. T. Rodney, J. S.; R. H. Sample, C. of R.; Wm. Longdon, K. of W.; M. Semple, Prophet.

QUŒKELINIK TRIBE, No. 116, Philadelphia; petition signed by six brothers and forty-five pale faces; received 16th of Worm Moon; instituted by the Great Chiefs on the 25th. Chiefs: Frank Wobensmith, Sachem; James Tait, S. S.; Theo. F. Tompkins, J. S.; Harry C. Butler, C. of R.; Wm. H. Neiler, K. of W.; Geo. W. Goodwin, Prophet.

TEEDYUSCUNG TRIBE, No. 117, Mount Bethel, Northampton County; petition

signed by forty-nine pale faces; received 17th of Worm Moon; instituted on the 20th by myself, G G. of F. Donnalley. and D. G. S. Ohl, assisted by several members of No. 84. Chiefs: Peter G. Frutchey, Sachem; J. F. Raub, S. S.; R. F. Morey, J. S.; E. C. Hess, C. of R.; Josiah Reimer K. of W.; Wm. Wagner, Prophet.

Manaiung Tribe, No. 118, Manayunk, 21st Ward, Philadelphia; petition signed by eleven brothers and thirty-two pale faces; received 17th of Worm Moon; instituted on the 21st by the Great Chiefs. Chiefs: John Jones, Sachem; Wilson Rex, S. S.; Jacob Stout, J. S.; Samuel Grow, C. of R.; John Sanders, K. of W.; P. S. John Morton, Prophet.

Wahoo Tribe, No. 119, Kingston, Luzerne Co.; petition signed by six brothers and four pale faces; received 19th of Worm Moon; instituted 30th by myself and G. G. of F. Donnalley, assisted by members of 47, 105, and 110. Chiefs: David Shipps, Sachem; J. C. Jaquish, S. S.; Harry Nesbitt, J. S.; Geo. Kelley, C. of R.; D. R. Prendergast, K. of W.; S. D. Robbins, Prophet.

Kiowas Tribe, No. 120, Hazelton, Luzerne County; petition signed by twenty-nine pale faces; received 25th of Worm Moon; instituted on the 1st of Plant Moon by myself and G. G. of F. Donnalley. Chiefs: A. T. Wenner, Sachem; John Shaffer, S. S.; Anthony Shaffer, J. S.; Wm. Kurtz, C. of R.; John Weir K. of W.: Geo. Kisner, Prophet.

Catawissa Tribe, No. 121, Catawissa, Columbia County; petition signed by six brothers and nineteen pale faces; received 26th of Worm Moon; instituted by myself on the 21st of Plant Moon. Chiefs: C. Ellis, Sachem; A. P. Brown, S. S.; S. B. Rhawn, J. S.; John Ervin, C. of R.; Thos. E. Harder, K of W.; I. P. Haas, Prophet.

Opekasset Tribe, No. 122, (German) Reading; petition signed by one brother and twenty pale faces; received 7th of Plant Moon; instituted on the 27th by myself, G. S. S. Adam Schuh, D. G. S. Weber and P. S. Jackson, and a number of brothers of Juniata Tribe, No. 74. Chiefs: Herman Kutsher, Sachem; Ernest Nnebling, S. S.; David Henry, J. S.; Jacob Scheufele, C. of R.; John Schenfele, K. of W.; P. S. Wm. Berger, Prophet.

Wampanoag Tribe, No. 123, Audenreid, Carbon County; petition signed by one brother and thirty-two pale faces; received 9th of Plant Moon; instituted on the 13th by myself and the G. C. of R. Chiefs: Rich'd Hopkins, Sachem; J. Albert Smith, S. S.; Jno. T. Hardcastle, J. S.; Moses Owens, C. of R.; Elder Spangler, K. of W.; R. L. Williams, Prophet.

Mingo Tribe, No. 124, Beavertown, Snyder County; petition signed by twenty-one pale faces; received 11th of Plant Moon; instituted 2d of Flower Moon by myself and the G. C. of R., and several members of No. 67. Chiefs: Isaac D. Conrad, Sachem; Alfred Specht, S. S.; Henry S. Freed, J. S.; Henry Benfer, C. of R.; Henry Kerns, K. of W.; W. D. Gift, Prophet.

Manitobah Tribe, No. 125, Nazareth, Northampton County; petition signed by twenty-five pale faces; received 10th of Flower Moon; instituted 23d by myself, G. C. of R., G. G. of F., D. G. S. Ohl, P. S. Rinker, and a number of members of Nos. 84 and 117. Chiefs: E. C. Michael, Sachem; John H. Kreidler, S. S.; Theo. Whitesel, J. S.; Jacob H. Beck, C. of R.; Peter W. Hay, K. of W.; H. F. Kinginger, Prophet.

Cohocksink Tribe, No. 126, (German) Philadelphia; petition signed by six

brothers and thirty-four pale faces; received 14th of Flower Moon; instituted on the 16th by the Great Chiefs. Chiefs: Trubert Ortleib, Sachem; Carl Wossman, S. S.; Henry Peter, J. S.; Valentine Roller, C. of R.; Jacob Fater, K. of W.; P. S. Chas. Rieder, Prophet.

Mohican Tribe, No. 127, Bristol, Bucks County; petition signed by five brothers and twenty-three pale faces; received 14th of Flower Moon; instituted 19th by myself, G. S. S., G. C. of R., G. Sannap, G. G. of F., P. G. S. Stewart, P. S. Winkworth, No. 8, Coffman, No. 42, and a number of P. S.'s and members of 27. Chiefs: E. C. Brown, Sachem; Wm. Holt, S. S.; C. E. Leibert, J. S.; Thos. B. Douglass, C. of R.; Henry M. Wright, K. of W.; Wm. F. Bailey, Prophet.

Maconaquah Tribe, No. 128, Wilkesbarre; petition signed by six brothers and twenty-one pale faces; received 12th of Flower Moon; instituted 24th by myself, the G. C. of R., and G. G. of F., assisted by brothers of Nos. 105 and 119. Chiefs: Joseph E. Valentine, Sachem; Wm. H. Bennett, S. S.; John Hartland, J. S.; F. D. Wert, C. of R.; C. F. Reets, K. of W.; Willard D. Jones, Prophet.

Catoctin Tribe, No. 129, Littlestown, Adams County; petition signed by four brothers and twenty-three pale faces; received 29th of Flower Moon. I deputized Great Prophet Weaver to institute this Tribe.

Minnequa Tribe, No. 130, Williamsport; petition signed by six brothers and twenty pale faces; received 2d of Hot Moon; instituted 16th by D. G. S. Whitman and P. S. Artley, No. 28, assisted by a number of members of No. 28. Chiefs: C. L. Adams, Sachem; Isaac Whitnack, S. S.; John L. Dorey, J. S.; Geo. C. Sweeley, C. of R.; D. H. Campbell, K. of W.; John Snaibly, Prophet.

Sawquehanna Tribe, No. 131, Shippensburg, Cumberland County; petition signed by thirty-six pale faces; received 9th of Hot Moon; instituted 21st by myself and the G. C. of R. Chiefs: J. Burr Reddig, Sachem; Wm. H. Lawrence, S. S.; A. D. Rebok, J. S.; O. M. Blair, C. of R.; Sam'l S. Shryock, K. of W.; Rev. H. M. Ash, Prophet.

Nescopec Tribe, No. 132, Laurel Run, Luzerne County; petition signed by six brothers and twenty pale faces; received 10th of Hot Moon; instituted 13th by myself and G. G. of F., assisted by several members of Nos. 105, 107, and 119. Chiefs: John D. Colvin, Sachem; Wm. McGregory, S. S.; John E. Lewis, J. S.; David G. Jones, C. of R.; Oliver A. Parsons, K. of W.; Sylvester Rhoads, Prophet.

Wissinoming Tribe, No. 133, Philadelphia; petition signed by seven brothers and twenty-four pale faces; received 17th of Hot Moon; instituted on the 23d by the Great Chiefs, assisted by a number of members of Nos. 32 and 51. Chiefs: Chas. H. Moss, Sachem; Fred'k Perkins, S. S.; James McCray, J. S.; James L. Thorn, C. of R.; Sam'l Owens, K. of W.; P. S. Geo. S. Craighead, Prophet.

Leni Lenape Tribe, No. 3. On the 15th of Hot Moon, a petition was received from six of the members of this Tribe asking for the restoration of their charter, accompanied with the names of four brothers and thirty-six pale faces who intended attaching themselves to the Tribe. The petition was favorably considered by the Great Chiefs, and on the 27th, assisted by P. G. S. Barton, and a number of P. S.'s and members of Nos. 18, 43, 51, 79, and

104, they reinstituted the Tribe and raised up the following Chiefs: P. S. Geo. K. Rambo, Sachem; Geo. Carnell, S. S.; Christian Yeakle, J. S.; Isaac A Davis, C. of R.; Benj. R. Caskey, K. of W.; P. S. Francis Fullerton, Prophet.

St. Tammany Degree Council, No. 4. On the 2d of Flower moon a petition was received from fifty-four brothers of the Chief's Degree, asking for a charter for a Degree Council in the City of Lancaster; a dispensation was granted, and on Tammany's day they were instituted by the G. S. S., G. C. of R., and P. G. S. Weaver, and the following Chiefs raised up: H. W. Ville, Sachem; John S. Orem, S. S.; Henry Miller, J. S.; Sam'l M. Wetzel, C. of R.; Henry Gast, K. of W.; Geo. F. Rote, Prophet.

DISPENSATIONS.

I have granted the following dispensations:—

On the 21st of Cold Moon, to Pawnee Tribe, No. 20, to change the sleep of kindling their Council fire from Thursday to Wednesday.

On the 26th of Cold Moon, to Chippewa Tribe, No. 51, to adopt pale face Harry Anderson on the sleep of his proposition, allowing the committee to report for the same. (Fee paid, one fathom). Also, to confer the Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees upon brother Harry Anderson upon the same sleep, to render him eligible to fill a stump in a new Tribe. (Fee paid, one fathom five feet.)

On the 28th of Cold Moon, to Sagoyewatha Tribe, No. 38, to remove their wigwam from the Kensington Hose House, to Central Hall, Frankford Road and Master Streets. Also, to change the sleep of kindling their council fire from Tuesday to Saturday.

On the 31st of Cold Moon, to Chippewa Tribe, No. 51, to confer the Chief's degree upon brother James McClain. (Fee paid, five feet.)

On the 2d of Snow Moon, to Wyalusing Tribe, No. 56, to have a Ball in the name of the Tribe, on the sleep of the 21st of Snow Moon. (Fee paid, three fathoms.)

On the 22d of Snow Moon, to Idaho Tribe, No. 73, to confer the Chief's degree upon brothers Thomas H. Bacon and Robert A. Shaw, to render them eligible to fill the stumps of Junior Sagamore and Chief of Records. (Fee paid, one fathom.)

On the 22d of Snow Moon, to Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, to adopt pale face George E. Pinckney on the sleep of his proposal, the committee reporting favorable. (Fee paid, one fathom.)

On the 26th of Cold Moon, to Sioux Tribe, No. 87, to give a Festival on the 9th of Snow Moon, in the name of the Tribe. (Fee paid, three fathoms.)

On the 2d of Worm Moon, to Lackawana Tribe, No. 110, to confer the Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees upon brothers David Shipps, George Kelly, J. C. Jaquish, Harry Nesbitt, D. R. Pendigrass, and S. Robin, to render them eligible to fill the stumps in a new Tribe. (Fees paid, nine fathoms.)

On the 3d of Worm Moon, to Wyoming Tribe, No. 7, to confer the Chief's degree upon brother James Tait. (Fee paid, five feet.)

On the 14th of Worm Moon, to Osage Tribe, No. 113, to remove their wigwam to Kater Hall, South Street, above Fifteenth, and to change their council sleep from Friday to Thursday.

On the 17th of Worm Moon, to Seminole Tribe, No. 30, to give a Fancy Dress and Regalia Festival, (no costumes) in the name of the Tribe, on the 12th sleep of Flower Moon, (Tammany's Day). (Fee paid, three fathoms.)

On the 18th of Worm Moon, to Cherokee Tribe, No. 19, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother Theodore Tomkins, and the Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees upon brothers Harry C. Butler and William Neilor, to render them eligible to fill the stumps in a new Tribe. (Fee paid, four fathoms.)

On the 18th of Worm Moon, to Wyalusing Tribe, No. 56, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brothers Wilson Rex, John Sanders, and Jacob Stout, to render them eligible to fill the stumps in a new Tribe. (Fee paid three fathoms.)

On the 31st of Worm Moon, to Lackawana Tribe, No. 110, to confer the Warrior's degree upon brother T. K. Williams, and the Chief's degree upon brothers T. K. Williams, Richard Martin, William Castner, W. H. Rines, and Jacob Warman. (Fee paid, three fathoms.)

On the 13th of Plant Moon, to Absaraka Tribe, No. 104, to confer the Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees upon brother J. N. Lytle. (Fee paid, one fathom, fifty inches.)

On the 19th of Plant Moon, to Mohegan Tribe, No. 27, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brothers James Ross and James S. Metler. Also, Chief's degree upon brother Andrew Holt. (Fee paid, one fathom fifty inches.)

On the 19th of Plant Moon to Chippewa Tribe, No. 51, to give a Re-Union on the evening of May 12th, (Tammany's Day). (Fee paid, three fathoms.)

On the 23d of Plant Moon, to Kiowas Tribe, No. 120, to remove their wigwam to Main Street, and change their sleep from Friday to Monday of each seven suns.

On the 2d of Flower Moon, to Lackawana Tribe, No. 110, to confer the Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees upon brother George P. Richards. (Fee paid, one fathom, fifty inches.)

On the 4th of Flower Moon, to Chippewa Tribe, 51, to adopt pale face Joseph Hearn on the sleep of his proposal, the committee reporting favorable. (Fee paid, one fathom).

On the 13th of Flower Moon, to Absaraka Tribe, No. 104, to give a Festival upon their first anniversary, 24th of Hot Moon. (Fee paid, three fathoms.)

On the 13th of Flower Moon, to Mohawk Tribe, No. 14, to propose, elect, and adopt upon the same sleep, pale faces Valentine Roller, Frederick Kritz, Henry Peter, Turbert Ortlieb, and Charles Wassman. Also, to confer upon the above brothers, the Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees upon the same sleep, to render them eligible to fill the stumps in a new Tribe. (Fee paid, 12 fathoms fifty inches.)

On 14th of Flower Moon, to Kiowas Tribe, No. 120, to parade in Regalia on the 30th of May, and assist in decorating the soldiers' graves.

On the 27th of Flower Moon, to Wahoo Tribe, No. 119, to parade in Regalia on the 30th of May, and assist in decorating the soldiers' graves.

On the 28th of Flower Moon, to Perkiomen Tribe, No. 13, to parade in Regalia on the 30th of May, and assist in decorating the soldiers' graves.

On the 6th of Hot Moon, to Red Warrior Tribe, No 109, to parade in Regalia at a dedication.

On the 21st of Hot Moon, to Wissahickon Tribe, No. 32, to confer the Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees upon brothers Chas. H. Moss, Fred'k Perkins, James A. Jackaway, Samuel Owens, James McCray, and James L. Thorne, to render them eligible to fill the stumps in a new Tribe. (Fee paid, nine fathoms.)

On the 27th of Hot Moon, to Quœkelinik Tribe, No. 116, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother Wm. James, and Chief's degree upon brother Robt. G. Stewart. (Fee paid, one fathoms fifty inches.)

On the 27th of Hot Moon, to Red Warrior Tribe, No. 102, to parade in Regalia, to celebrate the 4th of Buck Moon.

On the 13th of Buck Moon, to Mohegan Tribe, No. 27, to have a Festival on 17th of Beaver Moon. (Fee paid, three fathoms.)

SUSPENSION OF BENEFITS.

I regret to lay before this Great Council the following applications for dispensations for the suspension of benefits; but I feel warranted in saying, that the numbers thus applying have fulfilled their every duty, and acted in accordance with the true spirit of Freedom, Friendship, and Charity.

WIGWAM LENI LENAPE DEGREE COUNCIL, No. 1,
12th Sun, Plant Moon, G. S. D. 379.

CHARLES C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

RESPECTED CHIEF: At a stated council, held on the sleep of the above sun, the following resolution, which had been presented at the council in Worm Moon, was adopted:—

Resolved, That application be made to the Great Sachem for a dispensation to suspend the payment of benefits until the first council of the Cold Moon next.

Therefore, in accordance with Article XVII, Section 3, of the Constitution, application is hereby made.

The Degree Council has promptly paid all claims upon it for benefits and all other dues, until the wampum in the Belt has been reduced to but six fathoms, five feet, and unless relieved in the manner requested would be compelled to dissolve.

Very respectfully yours,
FRED. T. WEBSTER, *Sachem.*
JOSEPH W. CLYMER, *C. of R.*

I granted the dispensation on the 13th sun, Plant Moon.

On the 3d of Hot Moon, I received the following through the hands of G. S. S. Schuh:—

WIGWAM CONESTOGA TRIBE, No. 28, 30th Sun, Plant Moon, G. S. D. 379.

ADAM SCHUH, *D. G. S.*

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER: At a stated council of Kishacaquillas Tribe, No. 65, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:—

Resolved, That this Tribe ask for a dispensation for suspension of payment of benefits for one great sun.

We trust that you will comply with the above request, deeming it to be beneficial to the interest of our Tribe, the wampum in the Belt being of the amount of that required by Section 3, Article XVII, of the Constitution.

Fraternally yours,

JACOB HENRY, *Sachem.*
BENJ. F. HOOREY, *C. of R.*

On the 10th of Hot Moon, I wrote as follow :—

Brothers: Please find my dispensation, allowing your Tribe to suspend the payment of benefits for six moons. I trust that at the end of the above named period you will be able to resume payment; if not, it will be the duty of my worthy successor to extend the time, if he see fit to do so.

On the 18th of Flower Moon, I received the following:—

Wigwam of Minnewa Tribe, No. 79,
Philadelphia, 17th of Flower Moon, G. S. D. 379.

Chas. C. Conley, *G. S.*

Respected Chief: The following is the account of the wampum of this Tribe:—

Balance on hand, 1st of Cold Moon, 379, - - -	$126 23
Received to date, - - - - - - - -	281 04
	$427 27
Amount expended for benefits, &c., - - - -	420 42
Balance on hand, - - - -	$6 85

By a resolution of this Tribe, adopted on the above date, I therefore ask that you will be pleased to grant a dispensation to this Tribe, to allow them to suspend the paying of benefits for six moons from the date hereof.

Fraternally yours,

GEO. W. LEVARS, *C. of R.*

I granted the dispensation on the 19th of Flower Moon.

APPEALS AND DECISIONS.

On the 4th of Snow Moon, the Sachem of Penobscot Tribe, No. 70, proposed the following:—

Question.—When a brother desires a Travelling pass, who is the person to communicate the same, in the absence of the Sachem?

Answer.—The brother filling the Sachem's stump would be the proper person.

On the 16th of Snow Moon, the C. of R. of Saukie Tribe, No. 107, proposed the following:—

Questions.—1. How many black twigs does it take to reject a pale face on the sleep he is first twigged for?

Answer.—One or more.

2. Shall our Sachem pronouuce the number of black twigs or not?

Answer.—He will announce that the pale face has beeu duly elected, or that the pale face has been rejected.

On the 25th of Snow Moon, I received the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 24th of Snow Moon, G. S. D. 379.

CHARLES C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

RESPECTED CHIEF: We have the honor to submit for your consideration the legality and expediency of the following resolution, which was passed at a council of Chippewa Tribe, No. 51, on the 23d sleep of Snow Moon, and was referred to a committee of three for the purpose of inquiring your opiuion as to its legality. The resolution was as follows:—

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed, to be called the "Lecture Committee," to make arrangements for the delivering of Essays, Poems, and Recitations, by members who may volunteer, for the intellectual and literary good of the Order.

We might submit various arguments in behalf of the resolution, but suffice it to say, that the object of it is to open a new field for the accomplishmeut of those desired results for which our Order has been battling so nobly, since its organization, to wit: "The elevation of man *mentally* and morally."

We are prone to believe the carrying out of the resolution will be productive of much good; it certainly cau do uo harm, and we hope it may receive your official sanction.

Respectfully submitted, in F. F. and C.

HARRY LARKE,
WILLIAM ANDERSON,
GEO. CRAIGHEAD.

PHILADELPHIA, 18th of Plant Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Committee of Chippewa Tribe, No. 51.

DEAR SIRS AND BROTHERS: I received your communication, with the seal of the Tribe attached, propounding the following question, of the legality of the annexed resolution:—

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed, to be called the "Lecture Committee," to make arrangemeuts for the delivering of *Essays, Poems, and Recitations*, by members who may voluuteer, for the intellectual and literary good of the Order.

I would respectfully state, that I have carefully considered the subject in all its bearings, and I have also consulted with and received the opiuion of the Committee on Law and Usage, and am compelled to decide the appointment of a committee for such a purpose to be *unconstitutional* and *illegal*, for the following reasons:—

1. That it is contrary to Sections 2, 3, and 5 of Article I, of the Constitution of the Great Council of the United States; Section 3 of Article IV of same Laws, and Article X of Geueral Laws, for the Governmeut of Great Councils; and the Private Work; and further, that it is contrary to the decision of the Great Council of Pennsylvania. (See Great Sachem's report, session in Buck Moon, G. S. D. 376, in the case of No. 49.)

I do not decide that a Tribe has not the right to have a lecture, &c., the

same as a ball, or any other entertainment, for the benefit of the Tribe; but that they must be governed by the laws regulating and controlling such entertainments, (see Section 4, Article II of By-Laws of Great Council of Pennsylvania, duties of Great Sachem; and Section 4 of Article XVIII of same Laws), and that such entertainments *must not interfere with* or interrupt the workings of the Tribe, under the *order of business* given for their guidance by the Great Council of the United States; and further, that the subject must pertain to the Order; or, in other words, "*no subject foreign to the workings of the Order can be introduced during the burning of the council fire.*

Fraternally yours,

CHARLES C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

On the 26th of Plant Moon, I received a communication from Saukie Tribe, No. 107, and on the 6th sun of Flower Moon, I received one from Minnehaha Tribe, No. 111, both propounding the same questions.

1. After a pale face has been proposed must he be twigged for, if the committee report unfavorable?

Answer.—He must be twigged for.

2. After a pale face has been rejected can the Tribe take any further action in the matter.

Answer.—The Tribe cannot take any further action for six moons.

On the 9th of Plant Moon, I received the following:—

OXFORD, 8th of Plant Moon, G. S. D. 379.

CHAS. C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER: By direction of Wyandotte Tribe, No. 54, I enclose you a copy of our By-Laws, referring you to Article XXIII, and respectfully ask your decision on the following question: In taking the vote on an amendment to the By-Laws, should members present not in good standing and the Sachem be counted?

Also, an amendment to the By-Laws being offered, and coming up for action, can it be postponed for a certain time by a majority; said amendment requiring two-thirds of the brothers present to adopt it?

Yours, in F. F. and C.,

JAMES BLACK, *C. of R.*

PHILADELPHIA, 22d Sun, Plant Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To Wyandotte Tribe, No. 54.

SIRS AND BROTHERS: I will state that none but those qualified in accordance with Section 6, Article XIII, have a right to vote on any question before the Tribe, even though it be an amendment to the Laws; or, in other words, the law only *recognizes those members as present who are legally qualified to vote or take part in the business of the Tribe;* and the Sachem cannot be deprived of his vote, if otherwise qualified.

In reference to the postponement of an amendment from time to time, after being properly presented, a majority is all that is requisite for such purpose, if it does not affect the final vote upon said amendment, or conflict with the two-thirds required by law. Both myself and the Committee on Law and Usage agree upon the above points.

Fraternally yours,

CHAS. C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

COATESVILLE, 26th of Flower Moon, G. S. D. 379.

CHAS. C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER: Is it compulsory upon a *Past Sachem* who accepts a position as Brave, to wear the orange sash, or can he fill the stump and still wear the P. S.'s sash? If *not* the latter, does not the wearing of the orange colored sash by a P. S. conflict with the provision of the By-Laws which says that *all* brothers shall be clothed according to their rank and station in the Tribe? Hoping to hear from you at your earliest convenience, I remain,

Yours fraternally,

T. O. H. E. WILLIAMS, M. D.

Answer.—The brother must wear the regalia pertaining to the position he fills at the time in the Tribe.

I have received a large number of communications, propounding questions and asking decisions on various subjects that, upon looking over the reports and decisions of my predecessors, I found had been answered and decided upon heretofore. These documents I have ready to hand over to the proper Committees.

I have received appeals from several brothers, of different Tribes, which I have invariably handed over to the Board of Appeals within twenty-four hours after receiving them. These will come before you in the report of these Committees.

While on this subject, I would respectfully urge upon this Great Council the propriety of making some arrangements by which, when a brother has appealed from the action of his Tribe, laid his case before the Board of Appeals, and, after a careful investigation of the same, the Board determines to reverse the action of the Tribe, that there should be some mode or plan devised by which the brother, or defendant, should have immediate justice. During the past two great suns there have been several cases of this kind that, according to my ideas of justice and fraternal feeling, should have received a more prompt reinstatement.

I would respectfully recommend to the various Tribes in this jurisdiction that they set apart a certain portion of their time—say once in each moon—to read portions of the reports and proceedings of the Great Council of the State, and of the United States. The plan in vogue at the present time is, in most Tribes, to refer them to a special committee, and outside of that committee there are but few brothers that know anything of the progress, &c., of our Order, unless it is through hearsay.

I have written over two hundred letters during the past five moons to various brothers in the Order, and at least half of them have been for information on subjects that have frequently been answered. I speak on this subject animated with the best motives, for the sooner our Tribes become acquainted with the true workings and discipline of our Order the sooner they fit every brother for membership in this Great Council, where it may be in his power to honor his Tribe and himself.

VISITATIONS.

Owing to the time consumed in the institution of New Tribes, the Great Chiefs were not able to pay official visitations to the Tribes in and surrounding Philadelphia, as intended.

I have had the pleasure of being present at the council fires of the following Tribes during the past five moons: Nos. 3, 7, 8, 12, 14, 17, 20, 27, 29, 32, 38, 39, 43, 47, 48, 49, 51, 56, 62, 70, 75, 76, 79, 81, 87, 104, 110, 113, 114, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 131, 132, and 133, and find that they are all working in strict accordance with the laws of our Order.

MISCELLANEOUS.

I have been present at all the meetings of the Hall Association, and will bear testimony to the fact that they have faithfully attended to their duties. P. S. McGowan, Chairman, will hand in his report of the actions of the Committee during the past six moons.

I instructed G. G. of F. Donnalley to collect the sashes, &c., belonging to the Great Council. He procured most of them, and now has them in charge. There are still some of them missing.

P. G. S.'s Eckert and Stewart, P. S.'s McGowan, Goldberg, Hollis, Rieder, and Peter, will accept my thanks for their kindness in raising up the chiefs of the Tribes where the Great Chiefs were unable to attend.

My worthy colleagues have each and every one endeared themselves to me by their many courteous acts of personal kindness, and I can assure them that I can never forget them; neither can I repay them, except by thanks—my most heartfelt thanks.

In every wigwam of the State, that I have visited, the same kind, brotherly treatment has been shown me, and I can only say that when the great suns shall roll away, each recurring thought of the past shall more vividly impress upon my mind the pleasant memories of the time, when I met with my brothers of the Improved Order of Red Men as their Great Sachem.

Not only my own thanks, but the thanks of the Order, are due to several Tribes for their great exertions in assisting the Great Chiefs in kindling the council fires of new Tribes. I do not wish to be invidious or partial, but cannot allow this opportunity to pass without mentioning the following: Nos. 13, 14, 15, 19, 27, 32, 43, 51, 57, 58, 67, 74, 77, 103, 105, as having been instrumental in the formation of a new Tribe.

Reports have been received from the several Deputies showing a favorable condition of the Order throughout the State.

Chiefs, Representatives, and Past Sachems, my work as your Great Sachem is ended. It is not necessary for me to say more to you. In conclusion, I hand to my successor the "Tomahawk of Authority, shining and bright." May he keep its lustre undimmed; may he yield it with as much success as your servant, and then shall we all exclaim that the Great Spirit is good; that He is great; and may He continue to bless us with wisdom, so that the principles of Freedom, Friendship, and Charity may be propagated throughout the land.

Fraternally,

CHARLES C. CONLEY, *G. S.*

LANCASTER, 2d Snn, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 379.

RESPECTED CHIEF:

The time having arrived for me to render an account of my offlcial acts dnring the past six moons, I wonld respectfully state that, althongh nnable to visit each Tribe in this jurisdiction, it gives me great pleasnre to inform you that they are in a very flourishing condition.

DISPENSATIONS.

On the 24th of Cold Moon, to Eeshahkonee Tribe, No. 22, to hold a Ball on the 11th of Snow Moon. (Fee paid, three fathoms.)

On the 25th of Cold Moon, to Metamora Tribe, No. 2, to propose, elect, and adopt pale Charles Herchermer on the same sleep. (Fee paid, one fathom.)

On the 21st of Snow Moon, to Eeshahkonee, No. 22, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother Joseph McGlinn. (Fee paid, one fathom.)

On the 28th of of Snow Moon, to Eeshahkonee Tribe, No. 22, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees on brother John W. Keating. (Fee paid, one fathom.)

On the 16th of Worm Moon, to Metamora Tribe, No. 2, to confer the Chief's degree on brother Henry Lind. (Fee paid, five feet.)

On the 16th of Worm Moon, to Metamora Tribe, No. 2, to confer the Chief's degree on brother Andrew Staime. (Fee paid, five feet.)

On the 22d of Plant Moon, to Red Jacket Tribe, No. 44, to confer the Chief's degree on brother Adam Hockman. (Fee paid five feet.)

On the 22d of Plant Moon, to Red Jacket Tribe, No. 44, to hold a Ball on the 12th of Flower Moon. (Fee paid, three fathoms.)

On the 6th of Flower Moon, to Eeshahkonee Tribe, No. 22, to adopt a pale face on the sleep of conferring degrees, their By-Laws prohibiting the same.

On the 27th of Flower Moon, to Metamora Tribe, No. 2, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother William Gensanleichter. (Fee paid, one fathom.)

On the 30th of Flower Moon, to Chiquesalungo Tribe, No. 39, to parade in fnll regalia, and participate in the decoration of the graves of onr fallen héroes.

On the 1st of Hot Moon, to Eeshahkonee Tribe, No. 22, to confer the Chief's degree on brother A. Baldwin. (Fee paid, five feet.)

On the 3d of Hot Moon, to Red Jacket Tribe, No. 44, to confer the Warrior's degree on brother F. Knapp. (Fee paid, five feet.)

On the 6th of Hot Moon, to Eeshahkonee Tribe, No. 22, to confer the Warrior's degree on brother Peter Lntx. (Fee paid, one fathom.)

On the 13th of Hot Moon, to Eeshahkonee Tribe, No. 22, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degree on brother John Uhrsprung. (Fee paid, one fathom.)

On the 12th of Plant Moon, by request of Chiquesalungo Tribe, No. 39, myself, accompanied by P. G. S. M. J. Weaver, visited Chiquesalnngo Tribe, and found them in a flonrishing condition.

Hoping my report may prove satisfactory, I remain,

Yours, in the bonds of F. F. and C.

ADAM SCHUH,

G. S. S., and D. G. S. for Lancaster County.

Credentials of the following Representatives read, and on motion acknowledged:—

John H. Hartzell,	No.	1
Thomas W. Brown,	"	2
George K. Rambo,	"	3
Henry Feldman,	"	5
Ingham W. Bisbing,	"	7
Thos. A. Winkworth,	"	8
Joshua D. Baker,	"	12
W. W. Waitneight,	"	13
Henry Mayfarth,	"	14
C. C. Schmit,	"	15
J. B. Flemming,	"	17
Wm. G. Brown,	"	18
Samuel Wright,	"	19
Robert C. Smith,	"	20
H. W. Villee,	"	22
Thomas O. Hill,	"	26
Edwin Jacoby,	"	27
J. W. Whitman,	"	28
Jonathan Kershaw,	"	29
Jesse B. Sparks,	"	30
Lewis Strouse,	"	31
Peter Jones,	"	32
M. V. B. Musselman,	"	33
Wm. Stimer,	"	35
James B. Ziegler,	"	37
Charles B. Higman,	"	38
George McNall,	"	41
John Dietrick,	"	42
Robert Simms,	"	43
Joseph Gerlach,	"	44
Henry C. Baldwin,	"	47
Charles S. Abel,	"	48
Wm. B. Eckert,	"	49
E. T. Bear,	"	50
Daniel McGowan,	"	51
Job Rulon,	"	52
James Black,	"	54
Robert T. Roberts,	"	56
Vincenz Morath,	"	57
John Rebman,	"	58
Gotlieb Leisiger,	"	60
Martin Erb,	"	61
Allen Martin,	"	62
F. J. Cornman,	No.	63
F. A. Dentenberg,	"	64
Jacob Henry,	"	65
Henry Storey,	"	66
A. B. Flood,	"	68
Samuel Goodwin,	"	70
James L. Brown,	"	71
Matthias Bankert,	"	72
Pulaski Guyger,	"	73
Thomas E. Weber,	"	74
H. R. Bossert,	"	75
George K. Swain,	"	76
John C. Millhouse,	"	77
Samuel B. Taylor,	"	79
Jorell L. Kelley,	"	81
M. J. Thomas,	"	82
Wm. H. Beale,	"	83
Charles Rinker,	"	84
George Bleiler,	"	85
Charles R. Yarnall,	"	86
Charles Naylor,	"	87
T. W. Morley,	"	88
George Angus,	"	90
John Shultz,	"	91
S. F. Pealer,	"	92
Daniel Deeker,	"	93
John A. Shearer,	"	96
L. A. Himes.	"	99
Eli R. Miller,	"	100
John A. Boyer,	"	102
H. J. Stoner,	"	104
Nathan C. Gregory,	"	105
N. H. Bieber,	"	106
John Phillips,	"	107
F. C. Kramer,	"	108
H. C. Warfle,	"	109
D. E. Frantz,	"	110
Samuel J. Fryer,	"	111
Jas. M. Hutchinson,	"	112
John Beamish,	"	113
Z. Colehower,	"	114
W. James McGratty,	"	115
Frank Wobensmith,	"	116

John Morton,	No. 118	Geo. S. Craighead,	No. 133
David Shipps,	" 119	A. J. Baker, D. C.	" 1
Wm. Berger,	" 122	George Metzel, "	" 2
Charles Rieder,	" 126	M. J. Weaver, "	" 4

P. S. Probasco presented the following:—

Resolved, That the sessions of this Great Council commence at the 8th run rising of the sun and at the 2d run, close respectively at the 12th run high sun and the 5th run setting of the sun.

On motion, a committee of three was appointed to procure a more suitable place of meeting. P. S.'s Rebman of No. 58, Heckman of No. 15, and Wilhelm of No. 64, were appointed.

Applications for Charters were read and referred to Rep. Brown, No. 18, Waitneight, and Kershaw.

Certificates of Past Sachems were read, and the following admitted:—

Joshua D. Baker,	No. 12	Jacob Henry,	No. 65
Adam Wagner,	" 15	J. L. Brown,	" 71
Julius A. Richter,	" 15	Philip Bussue,	" 72
C. C. Schmit,	" 15	John C. Millhouse,	" 77
Fred. Granling,	" 15	J. H. Morrison,	" 80
Casper Rufer,	" 15	Jorell L. Kelley,	" 81
Conrad Luhm,	" 15	Wm. H. Beale,	" 83
H. W. Villee,	" 22	Charles Rinker,	" 84
Lewis Strouse,	" 31	George Bleiler,	" 85
John Dietrich,	" 42	Charles R. Yarnall,	" 86
Henry Schmidt,	" 44	Philip B. Weil,	" 103
Fred. T. Ingram,	" 47	Chas. S. McCoy,	" 103
John B. Green,	" 48	John T. Baer,	" 104
James Black,	" 54	N. C. Gregory,	" 105
Vinzenzs Morath,	" 57	N. H. Beiber,	" 106
John Schaefer,	" 57	F. C. Kramer,	" 108
Christian Haag,	" 57	H. C. Warfle,	" 109
John Shulthies,	" 57	Samuel J. Fryer,	" 111
Louis Schaefer,	" 57	J. M. Hutchinson,	" 112
W. S. McDowell,	" 58	John Beamish,	" 113
William Phillips,	" 58	Z. S. Colehower,	" 114
Charles Ring,	" 64	W. J. McGratty,	" 115
F. A. Deutenberg,	" 64	David Shipps,	" 119
Fred. Wilhelm,	" 64		

Certificates of the following Past Sachems were read:—

James Y. Guyder,	No.	1
John W. Dorwart,	"	2
Thos. Steward,	"	4
Valentine Krumig,	"	5
P. C. McIlvain,	"	8
James P. Holt,	"	13
Philip Klein,	"	15
George Noll,	"	15
George K. Prout,	"	17
Allen N. Smith,	"	19
John W. Cook,	"	19
Samuel N. Foster,	"	20
L. De W. Breneman,	"	22
Samuel Yeo,	"	26
C. C. Eckenbrine,	"	27
Edmund Pennel, Jr.,	"	29
Wm. B. Farra,	"	30
Thomas Brenner,	"	32
C. Woodington,	"	33
George Attig,	"	35
H. M. Shelley,	"	37
John T. Ash,	"	38
H. F. Booth,	"	39
Jacob Beidler,	"	42
Levi Fellerman,	"	43
Robert Smith,	"	49
Charles L. Morgan,	"	50
L. W. Steinmetz,	"	52
John Kelley,	"	56
Joseph A. Butler,	"	58
Charles W. Dopp,	"	60
Adam Kuebler,	"	61
Henry D. King,	No.	62
James Christopher,	"	66
A. E. Printz,	"	67
John Miller,	"	68
G. W. Hoffman,	"	70
Isaac Bolinger,	"	71
J. L. McQuistin,	"	72
Thomas Shannon,	"	73
Hiram Nachtrieb,	"	74
Thomas G. Rutter,	"	75
John F. Little,	"	76
Henry Vandersliee,	"	76
Reese Evans,	"	77
Henry Lang,	"	79
Charles Bowman,	"	81
F. C. Randolph,	"	84
Max Shlegel,	"	85
Robert Parks,	"	87
William Heck,	"	88
C. T. Hoffman,	"	90
F. R. Mathews,	"	91
David Baucher,	"	92
William Hose,	"	93
Henry Williams,	"	94
W. H. Barkley,	"	99
Eli R. Miller,	"	100
W. A. Price,	"	101
George F. Lidy,	"	101
Joseph Phillips,	"	107
D. E. Frantz,	"	110
Frank Wobensmith,	"	116
John Jones,	"	118

Roll of Representatives called. Present:—

Brown,	No.	2
Rambo,	"	3
Feldman,	"	5
Bisbing,	"	7
Winkworth,	"	8
Baker,	"	12
Waitneight,	"	13
Mayfarth,	"	14
Sehmit,	"	15
Brown,	"	18
Wright,	"	19
Villee,	"	22
Hill,	No.	26
Jacoby,	"	27
Whitman,	"	28
Kershaw,	"	29
Sparks,	"	30
Strouse,	"	31
Jones,	"	32
Musselman,	"	33
Stimer,	"	35
Zeigler,	"	37
Higman,	"	38
McNall,	"	41

Deitrich,	No.	42	Beale,	No.	83
Simms,	"	43	Rinker,	"	84
Gerlach,	"	44	Bleiler,	"	85
Baldwin,	"	47	Yarnall,	"	86
Abel,	"	48	Naylor,	"	87
Eckert,	"	49	Angus,	"	90
Bear,	"	50	Shultz,	"	91
McGowan,	"	51	Decker,	"	93
Rulon,	"	52	Shearer,	"	96
Black,	"	54	Boyer,	"	102
Morath,	"	57	Stoner,	"	104
Rebman,	"	58	Gregory,	"	105
Leisiger,	"	60	Bieber,	"	106
Erb,	"	61	Phillips,	"	107
Deutenberg,	"	64	Kramer,	"	108
Henry,	"	65	Warfle,	"	109
Storey,	"	66	Fryer,	"	111
Flood,	"	68	Hutchinson,	"	112
Goodwin,	"	70	Beamish,	"	113
Brown,	"	71	Colehower,	"	114
Guyger,	"	73	McGratty,	"	115
Weber,	"	74	Morton,	"	118
Bossert,	"	75	Shipps,	"	119
Swain,	"	76	Rieder,	"	126
Millhouse,	"	77	Craighead,	"	133
Taylor,	"	79	Baker, D. C.,	"	1
Kelley,	"	81	Metzel, "	"	2
Thomas,	"	82	Weaver, "	"	4

On motion of P. S. Probasco, the council fire was duly quenched.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PITTSBURG, *20th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D.* 379.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled at the 8th run, rising of the sun. Council fire kindled in ample form. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

CHARLES C. CONLEY—Great Sachem.
ADAM SCHUH—Great Senior Sagamore.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Junior Sagamore.
SAMUEL WEAVER—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
SAMUEL B. TAYLOR—Great Sannap.
ROBERT SIMMS—Great Guard of Wigwam, *pro tem.*
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

Certificates of Representatives Jos. M. Gregory, No. 4, Jas. McGinnis, No. 39, and J. H. Morrison, No. 80, were read and acknowledged.

Roll of Representatives called. Present:—

Brown,	No.	2	McGinnis,	No.	39
Gregory,	"	4	McNall,	"	41
Bisbing,	"	7	Deitrich,	"	42
Winkworth,	"	8	Simms,	"	43
Baker,	"	12	Gerlach,	"	44
Waitneight,	"	13	Baldwin,	"	47
Mayfarth,	"	14	Abel,	"	48
Schmit,	"	15	Eckert,	"	49
Brown,	"	18	Bear,	"	50
Wright,	"	19	McGowan,	"	51
Smith,	"	20	Rulon,	"	52
Villee,	"	22	Black,	"	54
Hill,	"	26	Roberts,	"	56
Jacoby,	"	27	Morath,	"	57
Whitman,	"	28	Rebman,	"	58
Kershaw,	"	29	Leisiger,	"	60
Sparks,	"	30	Erb,	"	61
Strouse,	"	31	Cornman,	"	63
Jones,	"	32	Deutenberg,	"	64
Musselman,	"	33	Henry,	"	65
Stimer,	"	35	Storey,	"	66
Ziegler,	"	37	Flood,	"	68
Higman,	"	38	Goodwin,	"	70

Brown,	No.	71	Boyer,	No.	102
Guyger,	"	73	Stoner,	"	104
Weber,	"	74	Gregory,	"	105
Bossert,	"	75	Bieber,	"	106
Swain,	"	76	Phillips,	"	107
Millhouse,	"	77	Kramer,	"	108
Taylor,	"	79	Warfle,	"	109
Morrison,	"	80	Fryer,	"	111
Kelley,	"	81	Hutchinson,	"	112
Thomas,	"	82	Beamish,	"	113
Beale,	"	83	Colehower,	"	114
Rinker,	"	84	Morton,	"	118
Bleiler,	"	85	Shipps,	"	119
Yarnall,	"	86	Rieder,	"	126
Angus,	"	90	Craighead,	"	133
Shultz,	"	91	Baker, D. C.	"	1
Decker,	"	93	Metzel, "	"	2
Shearer,	"	96	Weaver, "	"	4

P. S. Bankert, No. 72, being in waiting, was admitted and duly instructed.

Record of previous session read and adopted.

Committee on Wigwam reported that they had made some inquiry in regard to another room, but desired instructions as to the time the same would be used; also, that better ventilation had been secured in the room now occupied.

On motion, the report was received and the committee discharged.

The G. C. of R. presented the following report:—

PITTSBURG, 20th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Great Chief of Records respectfully reports, that, in accordance with instructions, he has prepared and had printed the index of Vol. III of the Proceedings, and had a number of copies bound ready for sale, a specimen of which is presented for examination. I have also prepared, indexed, and printed Vol. I, and expected to have a copy of the same present at this session, but the great amount of time and labor required to finish it, a few days must elapse before any copies will be ready for sale.

The *numbers* for the Representatives have been procured and placed in the hands of the G. G. of F. for delivery to the proper brothers.

In accordance with the resolution of last session I have, whenever possible, avoided the contraction of bills, or the incurring of any expense to

the Great Council; as a consequence thereof, nearly all the stationery and blanks necessary for the office have been used, and it will be requisite to obtain new supplies.

Very respectfully yours,

ANDREW J. BAKER, *G. C. of R.*

On motion, it was referred to the Committee on Law and Usage.

The Committee on Hall submitted the following report:—

PITTSBURG, 20th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: On behalf of the Association on Hall I offer the following: I called a session on the last Monday in the Cold Moon, and continued meetings on the last Monday in each moon. Our former proceedings, after an interchange of opinions, were rescinded, and the plan offered by P. G. I. Cameron was adopted. A committee was appointed to further the plan, with P. G. S. Madeira as chairman. After several meetings they reported the annexed plan as the most feasible one for accomplishing the object in view, and have had a circular printed, ready for distribution, subject to the approval of the Great Council; which plan, if now approved by this body, will surely accomplish the object intended.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

DANIEL McGOWAN,

Chairman of Association on Hall.

CIRCULAR.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Hall Committee appointed to prepare a plan and means for the erection of a building for the purposes of the Order, have, after due consideration, adopted the following plan for the purpose of raising, managing, and investing the funds that may be subscribed, until a sufficient amount shall be realized to warrant the commencement of a Hall. It is believed that if the Tribes and brothers will promptly subscribe and pay their subscriptions, that in from three to five years a sufficient amount will be had from investing and reinvesting the funds to make the erection of a Hall complete and successful.

You will therefore please adopt such a course as you may deem proper to keep this matter prominently before the members of your Tribe, and endeavor to obtain the subscriptions of all, so that each and every one may have an interest in its success.

ARTICLE I.—This body shall be known as the Building Fund Association of the Improved Order of Red Men.

ARTICLE II.—The object of the Association shall be the creation of a Fund for the purpose of building a Hall for the use of the Improved Order of Red Men.

ARTICLE III.—Subscriptions to the stock of the Association shall be paid in monthly instalments of One Dollar per share.

ARTICLE IV.—The direction and management of the funds shall be confided to a Board of Trustees, consisting of fifteen members of the Improved Order of Red Men, who must be Stockholders in their own right.

ARTICLE V.—The election of Trustees shall be held on the Monday before the third Tuesday in January, in each and every year. Immediately after the first election the Board shall meet and divide themselves into three classes, of five each—one class shall serve for one year, one for two years, and one for three years. The Board shall have power to fill all vacancies that may occur therein.

ARTICLE VI.—At all elections for Trustees each share of stock, upon which all instalments then due shall be paid, shall entitle the holder thereof to one vote.

ARTICLE VII.—The funds of the Association shall be invested by the Board of Trustees only in first class loans or securities.

☞ Please return all subscriptions to ANDREW J. BAKER, Secretary of Committee, *No. 56 North Seventh Street*, on or before the first day of October next.

Due notice will be given of the first meeting, at which time the first instalment on the shares subscribed shall be paid, an election held for Trustees, and the Association be fully organized.

On motion, the report was received and the committee continued.

The following communication from the Great Council of Delaware was presented and read:—

Extract from the Record of the Proceedings of the Great Council of Delaware, at the semi-annual session, held Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

The following communication (a duplicate of the same being presented by each Tribe in the jurisdiction) was read and referred to the Committee on Appeals.

At a meeting of the committee from each Tribe appointed to draft resolutions as a remonstrance against doing away with the Apron in our Order, held at the Wigwam, Wilmington, on the 7th Sleep of Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379, the following resolutions were adopted, and which we, your committee, submit to you for your action:—

WHEREAS, By an action of the Great Council of the United States, of the Improved Order of Red Men, held on the 15th Sun, Corn Moon, G. S. D. 378, in the City of St. Louis, dispensing with the Apron in our Order, and deeming it imprudent for so doing, as it will conflict in many ways with the success of our institution, and also detract materially from us, as Tribes, much of our beauty, and for which so many encomiums and

praise were received by us during the parade on the 12th Sun of last Flower Moon; and fearing, also, at the expressed opinions of many members, that it will have the tendency to disrupt the Order, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Great Council of Delaware be requested to instruct their Representatives to the Great Council of the United States to enter their solemn protest against its enforcement; that, believing it to be detrimental to the Tribes, and the Order in general, do ask to have it rescinded. And also be it

Resolved, That in doing this, we enter our protest as the voice of the Tribes we represent, and the whole Order in this jurisdiction of Delaware, against the action of the Great Council of the United States. And further be it

Resolved, That these resolutions be sent to the Great Council of Delaware for their immediate action at the next council fire, and request the Great Council of Delaware to send a copy of these resolutions to each Great Council and Tribe under the jurisdiction of the Great Council of the United States. Again be it

Resolved, That in offering these resolutions as a protest against dispensing with the Apron, we are actuated by no selfish motive, but by calm deliberation for the good of the Order.

JAS. C. PIERSON, *Chairman.*
B. R. HEISLER, *Secretary.*

COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

A. HILGER—Delaware Tribe, No. 1.
JOHN WRIGHT—Keokuk Tribe, No. 3.
JAMES C. PIERSON—Cherokee Tribe, No. 4.
B. R. HEISLER—Lenape Tribe, No. 6.

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P. S. Isaac Woodrow, from the Committee on Appeals, presented the following report, which, with the accompanying resolutions, were unanimously adopted:—

WILMINGTON, Del., 25th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Delaware—Improved Order of Red Men.

Your Committee on Appeals, to whom was referred the communication from the joint committee of the several Tribes, would respectfully report that we have attended to that duty, and submit the following for your consideration:—

Resolved, That the resolutions embodied in the protest of the several Tribes be, and are hereby approved.

Resolved, That the Representatives of this Great Council to the Great Council of the United States be instructed to use their utmost endeavors to have the resolution, by which the Apron as a part of the regalia was abolished, rescinded.

Resolved, That the G. C. of R. be instructed to furnish a copy of these proceedings to each of the Great Councils working under the jurisdiction of the Great Council of the United States.

ISAAC WOODROW,
WM. H. BRADY,
E. A. VAN TRUMP,
Committee.

Attest, EDWIN HIRST. *G. C. of R.*

It was moved that the communication be referred to the Representatives to the G. C. of U. S., and that they be instructed to vote against the proposition. Agreed to.

A communication from Conodogwinit Tribe. No. 108, was read, requesting permission to change the work of the Tribe from German to the English language. A protest from members of the Tribe against the same was also presented.

Rep. McGowan moved that they be referred to the Great Chiefs and the Deputy of the district.

Rep. Smith, No. 20, moved to strike out "Great Chiefs and Deputy," and insert "Committee on Law and Usage," which was adopted. The motion as amended was adopted.

The Tellers and Clerk appointed to count election returns presented the following report:—

PITTSBURG, 20th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Tellers and Clerk respectfully report the following as the number of votes cast for the several Great Chiefs and Representatives to the Great Council of the United States:—

G. S.—Adam Schuh, 490 votes.

G. S. S.—James A. Moss, 490 votes.

G. J. S.—Wm. G. Hollis, 122; John Rebman, 277; F. F. Snyder, 83.

G. P.—Frank C. Knipe, 488 votes.

G. C. of R.—Andrew J. Baker, 481 votes.

G. K. of W.—Lewis C. Pierce, 475 votes.

Reps. to G. C. of U. S.—E. F. Stewart, 369; Wm. B. Eckert, 433; Henry Mayfarth, 246; Henry C. Baldwin, 359; Ernest A. Dressler, 360; Wm. Kelley, 311; J. W. Whitman, 350; Frank C. Knipe, 418; Norman B. Moninger, 306; Samuel B. Taylor, 376; C. H. Brady, 236; John Dumbell, 245; Wm. Aten, 239; L. Goldberg, 315; George McNall, 210; Wm. D. Steigerwalt, 336; Charles Rieder, 263; R. B. Antrim, 237; E. V.

O'Neill, 160; Wm. G. Hollis, 165; George K. Swain, 260; E. T. Bear, 124.

We hereby certify the above to be a true and correct count of the vote for Great Chiefs and Representatives.

W. H. HARTLEY, }
JAMES B. ZIEGLER, } Tellers.
THOMAS W. BROWN, Clerk.

On motion, it was received and the Tellers and Clerk discharged.

P. G. S. Eckert, by request, raised up the Great Chiefs, assisted by P. G. S. Weaver, Reps. Heckman, McGowan, Rieder, and Stoner.

The Great Sachem appointed the following chiefs:—

Great Sannap—Henry C. Baldwin, No. 47.
G. G. of W.—George Metzel, No. 37.
G. G. of F.—T. K. Donnalley, No. 18.

Who were duly raised up.

A communication from Kishacaquillas Tribe, No. 65, was read, requesting permission to restore to membership Jacob B. Urban, an expelled member.

On motion, it was referred to the Committee on Law and Usage.

A communication from John W. Herbert was read, requesting the Great Council to revoke their decision in the case of his appeal against Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, or otherwise grant him permission to appeal to the G. C. of U. S.

Rep. Higman, No. 38, moved to lay the communication on the table.

On the question a vote by Tribes was demanded by Reps. Swain, Sims, Metzel, Rambo, and Villee, and being ordered, were as follows:—

Ayes—3, 38, 73—3.

Nays—2, 4, 5, 7, 8, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 35, 37, 39, 41, 42, 43, 44, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54, 57, 58, 61, 63, 64, 65, 66, 68, 70, 71, 72, 74, 75, 76, 77, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 86, 90, 91, 93, 96, 102, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 111, 112, 113, 114, 118, 119, 126, 133, D. C.'s 1, 2, 4—79.

Rep. Brown, No. 2, moved that John W. Herbert have permission to appeal to the Great Council of the United States, which was agreed to.

A communication from Coaquanock Tribe, No. 49, containing the following resolutions, was read:—

Resolved, That the Representative of this Tribe to the Great Council be instructed to use his best endeavors in that body to have both the Travelling Card and Travelling Pass Word abolished, and a Universal Pass Word adopted instead.

Resolved, That the Representative of this Tribe to the Great Council be, and he is hereby instructed to use his best endeavors in that body, and to use his influence to have the same carried to the G. C. of U. S., to have enacted a law whereby a brother in good standing, whose Tribe may become defunct, may, by paying into the W. B. of the G. C. his regular dues, be entitled to all benefits, rights, and privileges, the same as his Tribe allowed, subject to the rules and regulations governing the Order.

P. S. Miller, No. 22, moved they be referred to the Committee on Law and Usage, which was agreed to.

The Committee on Law and Usage presented the following report:—

PITTSBURG, 20th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage would respectfully report that they have examined amendments to the Laws of Nos. 22, 31, 50, 54, 74, 77, 79, 86, 87, and 92; also, full sets of Laws for Nos. 12, 20, 39, 53, 62, 102, 112, 113, 115, 117, 120, 121, and after modifying and altering to make them conform to the Constitution, have approved them.

Your committee feel compelled to bring to the notice of the Great Council a clear violation of both the law and the usage of this Order, viz: That of Tribes opening, and keeping open (as they term it) their charters, and adopting pale faces, without regard to age, for the sum of three fathoms or less, in violation of their By-Laws, and without the sanction of, or authority given by, the legally constituted authorities of the Great Council; they would respectfully offer the following resolutions in reference thereto for your consideration:—

Resolved, That after the petition for a Tribe has been placed in possession of the Great Chiefs, and the Tribe instituted, no pale face can be adopted, except in accordance with the Constitution and the established usages of the Order.

Resolved, That no Tribe has the right to open its charter after its institution, neither has the Great Sachem the right or power to grant such

privilege, or to set aside the laws adopted by this Great Council, or the By-Laws of a Tribe.

Resolved, That any Tribe so doing, upon satisfactory evidence thereof, shall be deemed guilty of a violation of law, and shall be proceeded against in accordance with Section 2, Article XX, of the By-Laws of this Great Council.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

E. F. STEWART,
WM. B. ECKERT,
HENRY FELDMAN.

Rep. Brown, No. 2, moved that it be accepted and the resolutions adopted, which was agreed to.

The Committee on Law and Usage presented the following report:—

PITTSBURG, 20th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage, to whom was referred that part of the Great Sachem's Report comprising Dispensations, Decisions, and Appeals, would respectfully submit, that having carefully examined that portion relating to Dispensations, are of the opinion that the Great Sachem, in acquiescing in the wish of the applicants, has acted for the interest and welfare of the Tribes so applying; and particularly so in the cases of Degree Council, No. 1, and Tribes Nos. 65 and 79, allowing them to suspend the payment of benefits until their Wampum Belts are replenished. While the use of this discretionary power should be carefully and cautiously exercised by the Great Sachem, yet, as in the case of Degree Council, No. 1, whose wampum has been expended solely for the use of its sick members, and the actual expenses of the Council, it is but an act of justice to grant it an opportunity to increase its wampum so as to enable it to resume its good work in the future.

That part of the report relating to Decisions, your committee would state, that upon an examination of some of the questions propounded, they are compelled to express surprise at the ignorance displayed in reference to the plain provisions of the Constitution of their Tribes, and the usages of the Order, by those asking the opinion of the Great Sachem.

The answer given to the queries propounded by Nos. 70 and 107 could not have been otherwise, for the reason that they are strictly in accordance with the laws of the Order (especially that to 107, Report, pp. 70 and 72), see Sections 6 and 9, Article XIII, Constitution for Tribes.

The answer of the Great Sachem, as to the legality of the Resolution from Chippewa Tribe, No. 51, is correct, and in accordance with the laws and decisions of this Great Council, as given in said answer to the Tribe.

The decision given in answer to No. 54 is correct in principle, and in accordance with law and precedent.

The decision given in reference to the wearing of regalia in the Tribe is correct, and in accordance with law and usage of the Order (see law governing regalia, in Private Work, adopted by the Great Council of the United States). How often it occurs that Past Sachems, and even those who have passed through the chairs in the Great Council, are elected to positions in their Tribes lower than that which they have passed through, and are known and hailed only by the title of the subordinate position, and wearing the regalia pertaining thereto, such as Chief of Records, Keeper of Wampum, &c.

The various Appeals received by the Great Sachem have been properly referred, and will be presented for your consideration by the Board of Appeals, and we would ask a calm and careful investigation of them.

The suggestions offered by the Great Sachem in reference to the reports of the Board of Appeals in appeal cases, are worthy the careful attention of the Great Council.

Your committee have also examined the reports of the various Deputies, and are pleased to hear such favorable accounts from the Tribes.

Their Dispensations have been in accordance with the laws and usages of the Order.

The Decisions given by D. G. S. Gipple, in answer to queries propounded by Arrapahoe and Bald Eagle Tribes, are correct.

The decision of D. G. S. Thomas, in answer to a question propounded by Saukie Tribe, No. 107, in reference to adopting a pale face residing in another county, is correct; also the answer to Seneca Tribe, in reference to granting a Dispensation to reduce the adoption fee, was correct, and in accord with the law; as no Tribe can modify or change their laws unless by amendment offered according to law, and receiving the approval of the proper committee.

In conclusion, your committee, at the close of another great sun's labors, would congratulate the Great Council upon the prosperous condition of the Order in this jurisdiction, and would respectfully offer the following resolution:—

Resolved, That the thanks of the Great Council are due, and they are hereby tendered to the Great Chiefs and Deputies for their untiring efforts in promoting the interests of the Order.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

E. F. STEWART,
WM. B. ECKERT,
HENRY FELDMAN.

Rep. Brown, No. 2, moved that the report be received and the resolution adopted, which was agreed to.

The Committee on Law and Usage presented the following report:—

PITTSBURG, 20th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage having had the By-Laws of this Great Council referred to them for revision, would respectfully submit the following as the result of their labors, and would ask the careful consideration of the Great Council to the amendments submitted:—

ARTICLE I, Sec. 1. Insert after the word "Tribes," in the third line, the words "and Beneficial Degree Councils."

Sec. 4. Insert after the word "Tribe," at end of fourth line, the words "or Beneficial Degree Council."

ARTICLE II, Sec. 5. Insert "Fifteen" in the place of *five*, and "Eight" in the place of *three*, in the second line.

ARTICLE VI, Sec. 4. Insert "Ten" in place of *thirteen*, in the fifth line, and "Five" in the place of *three*, in the eighth line.

Sec. 5. Insert "Eight" in place of *one*, in the seventh line.

ARTICLE VII, Sec. 3. Insert "Six" in place of *four*, in fourth line.

ARTICLE IX. Insert after the word "working," in fourth line, the words, "and raise up the chiefs."

ARTICLE XII. Insert "Twenty-five" in place of *ten*, in the last line.

ARTICLE XIII, Sec. 1. Strike out the words, "and no member not so nominated shall be eligible," in the fifth and sixth lines; also strike out the words "first sun of the succeeding Hot Moon whether he accepts," in the ninth and tenth lines, and insert "next Tammany's Day (12th Flower Moon) of his acceptance;" also insert the words, "and no member not so nominated and accepting shall be eligible," after the word "nomination," in the eleventh line, when the section, as amended, will read thus:—

Sec. 1. The nomination of candidates for Great Chiefs and Representatives to the Great Council of the United States shall be made at the semi-annual session in the Cold Moon. Whereupon it shall be the duty of each member so nominated to inform the Great Chief of Records, in writing, prior to the next Tammany's Day (12th Flower Moon) of his acceptance of the nomination; and no member not so nominated and accepting shall be eligible; and the Great Chief of Records shall forward to each Tribe a list of the persons accepting.

Sec. 2. Insert the word "Immediately" after the word "forwarded," and "Great Chief of Records" in place of *Great Sachem*, in eleventh line.

Sec. 3. Strike out to the word "votes," in the fifth line, and insert:—

"Not less than ten suns prior to the session in the Buck Moon, the Great Sachem shall appoint a judge, two tellers, and a clerk, who shall, on the Friday preceding the session, at the 2d run, setting of the sun, in the presence of the Great Chiefs, and such candidates as may be present, at the office of the G. C. of R., open and count the election returns. Any candidate may authorize a member of the Great Council to be present for him, if unable to attend in person.

In addition to the record of the valid votes, there shall be made out a list of those Tribes from whom no returns have been received, which list shall be presented and read immediately after the kindling of the first council fire of the session. The duplicate returns of these Tribes shall then be handed to the judge and tellers, who shall immediately examine and count those that are valid, and to finally sum up the votes cast and report the same to the Great Council. They shall also report a list of those Tribes whose returns have been rejected for informality, and the cause.

ARTICLE XV, Sec. 1. Insert after the word "Order," in the fourth line, the words, "and Returns and Reports."

Sec. 2. Strike out the words, "examine the Reports returned by the various Tribes, and report the correctness thereof," in the fifth, sixth, and seventh lines.

Sec. 5. The Committee on Returns and Reports shall examine the Reports received from Tribes, and report the correctness thereof, and the amount of percentage received, and such other matters as may be referred to them.

ARTICLE XVI, Sec. 1. Insert "Ten" in place of *seven*, and "Rising" in place of *setting*, in the third line; and strike out the words "in the Cold Moon, and at the eighth run in the Hot Moon," in the third, fourth, and fifth lines.

Sec. 2. Insert "Fifteen" in place of *five*, in the first line, and "Eight" in place of *five*, in the second line.

Sec. 3. Insert "Twenty-five" in place of *fifteen*, in the first line, and "Fifteen" in place of *eight*, in the second line.

Sec. 5. Each Representative of a Tribe, and each member of the committees on Finance, Law and Usage, Returns and Reports, chairman of the Board of Appeals, and the Judge, Tellers, and Clerk of Election Returns, who shall be present at every roll-call during the session, shall be entitled to such mileage as the Great Council may adopt: *Provided*, that no double mileage be paid in any case.

Sec. 6. The necessary travelling expenses actually incurred by the elective and appointed Great Chiefs in attending the sessions, shall be paid by the Great Council.

Sec. 7. The Proceedings of each session shall be published, of which each Tribe and Representative, and members of standing committees shall be entitled to one copy; and it shall be incumbent on the Tribes to carefully preserve their copies.

ARTICLE XVII, Sec. 1. Insert "Twenty-five" in place of *sixteen fathoms four feet*, in the second line, and add to the Section the words, "Fees for Charters for Tribes in the city of Philadelphia, forty fathoms."

Sec. 2. Insert "Ten fathoms" in place of *six fathoms four feet.*

Sec. 3. Strike out all after the word "Councils," in the second line, and insert, "one foot five inches for each member, at each regular session of the Great Council, and five feet for each adoption: *Provided*, That

Tribes instituted within two moons of the session shall be exempt from membership tax."

Sec. 4. Insert "5" in place of *two*, in the first line; "one fathom" in place of *four feet*, in the second line; and "3" in place of *two*, in the third line.

ARTICLE XVIII, Sec. 1. Amended to read thus: A petition for a Charter for a Tribe must be signed by not less than twenty applicants, and if the same is to be located within five miles of a Tribe working in the same language, six of the petitioners must be brothers of the Chief's degree. The title of a Tribe must be local to the vicinity or State. The cards, &c.

Sec. 3. Add to the Section the words—"And the degrees can only be conferred upon twenty brothers, except by special dispensation, and the payment of the fee."

Sec. 4. Insert "Two moons" in place of *fourteen seven suns*, in the third and fourth lines, and strike out "Six moons" in the fourth line.

Sec. 7. Insert "Five" after the word *with*, in the second line.

ARTICLE XXIII, Sec 5. Strike out the words—"He must be a Past Sachem of a Tribe," in the fifth line; the word "not," in the eighth line, and the words, "unless otherwise qualified," in the last line, and add—"And be entitled to the same rank, privileges, and rights as those who have passed in the Tribes. In the election of Great Chiefs and Representatives to the G. C. of U. S., they shall vote in the Tribes to which they respectively belong, and be returned on the same list as others."

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

E. F. STEWART,
WM. B. ECKERT,
HENRY FELDMAN.

Rep. Brown, No. 2, moved it be made the special order of the ninth run, to-morrow's sun, and that 250 copies of the same be printed.

P. S.'s Probasco, Brown, No. 2, Miller, Craighead, and Hartley demanded the previous question.

On the question, "shall the main question be now put," it was so ordered, and the motion was agreed to.

Rep. Winkworth moved to reconsider the motion, which was lost. Ayes, 51; Nays, 51.

Rep. Brown, No. 18, chairman, presented the following:—

PITTSBURG, 20th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The undersigned Committee to whom was referred the several petitions for charters, and for the restoration of the

charter to Leni Lenape Tribe, No. 3, report having given the same their careful consideration and recommend the same be granted, and submit the following resolutions and ask their adoption:—

Resolved, That the application for the restoration of the charter to Leni Lenape Tribe, No. 3, be granted, and the same be restored in accordance with the resolution adopted by the Great Council in reference thereto.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Brownsville, Fayette County, be approved, and that a charter be granted to Nemocalling Tribe, No. 112.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in the City of Philadelphia be approved, and a charter be granted to Osage Tribe, No. 113.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Charlestown, Chester County, be approved, and a charter be granted to Chickasaw Tribe, No. 114.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in Allegheny City be approved, and a charter be granted to Itah Tribe, No. 115.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in the City of Philadelphia be approved, and a charter be granted to Quœkelinik Tribe, No. 116.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Mount Bethel, Northampton County, be approved, and a charter be granted to Teedyuscung Tribe, No. 117.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Manayunk, Twenty-First Ward, City of Philadelphia, be approved, and a charter be granted to Manaiung Tribe, No. 118.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Kingston, Luzerne County, be approved, and a charter be granted to Wahoo Tribe, No. 119.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Hazleton, Luzerne County, be approved, and a charter be granted to Kiowas Tribe, No. 120.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Catawissa, Columbia County, be approved, and a charter be granted to Catawissa Tribe, No. 121.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in the City of Reading be approved, and a charter be granted to Opekasset Tribe, No. 122 (to work in the German language).

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Audenreid, Carbon County, be approved, and a charter be granted to Wamponoag Tribe, No. 123.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Beavertown, Snyder County, be approved, and a charter be granted to Mingo Tribe, No. 124.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Nazareth, Northampton County, be approved, and a charter be granted to Manitobah Tribe, No. 125.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in the City of Philadelphia be approved, and a charter be granted to Cohocksink Tribe, No. 126 (to work in the German language).

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Bristol, Bucks County, be approved, and a charter be granted to Mohican Tribe, No. 127.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in the City of Wilkesbarre be approved, and a charter be granted to Maconaquah Tribe, No. 128.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Littlestown, Adams County, be approved, and a charter be granted to Cotoctin Tribe, No. 129.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in the City of Williamsport be approved, and a charter be granted to Minnequa Tribe, No. 130.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Shippensburg, Cumberland County, be approved, and a charter be granted to Sawquchanna Tribe, No. 131.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Laurel Run, Luzerne County, be approved, and a charter be granted to Nescopec Tribe, No. 132.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in the City of Philadelphia be approved, and a charter be granted to Wissinoming Tribe, No. 133.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Ashland, Schuylkill County, be approved, and a charter be granted to Yemassee Tribe, No. 134.

Resolved, That the petition for a Beneficial Degree Council in the City of Lancaster be approved, and a charter be granted to St. Tammany Degree Council, No. 4.

All of which is respectfully submitted, in F. F. and C.

WM. G. BROWN,
W. W. WAITNEIGHT,
JONATHAN KERSHAW.

P. S. Miller, No. 22, moved to accept the report and adopt the resolutions, which was agreed to.

The Council fire was then quenched in due form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PITTSBURG, *20th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D.* 379.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled and kindled the Council fire in due form, at the 2nd run setting of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

ADAM SCHUH—Great Sachem.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Junior Sagamore.
SAMUEL WEAVER—Great Prophet, *pro tem.*
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
HENRY C. BALDWIN—Great Sannap.
GEORGE METZEL—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And the following Representatives:—

Brown,	No.	2	Storey,	No.	66
Rambo,	"	3	Flood,	"	68
Gregory,	"	4	Goodwin,	"	70
Feldman,	"	5	Brown,	"	71
Baker,	"	12	Bankert,	"	72
Waitneight,	"	13	Guyger,	"	73
Mayfarth,	"	14	Weber,	"	74
Schmitt,	"	15	Bossert,	"	75
Brown,	"	18	Swain,	"	76
Wright,	"	19	Millhouse,	"	77
Smith,	"	20	Taylor,	"	79
Villee,	"	22	Morrison,	"	80
Hill,	"	26	Kelley,	"	81
Jacoby,	"	27	Thomas,	"	82
Whitman,	"	28	Beale,	"	83
Kershaw,	"	29	Rinker,	"	84
Sparks,	"	30	Bleiler,	"	85
Jones,	"	32	Yarnall,	"	86
Musselman,	"	33	Angus,	"	90
Stimer,	"	35	Shultz,	"	91
Zeigler,	"	37	Decker,	"	93
Higman,	"	38	Shearer,	"	96
McGinnis,	"	39	Boyer,	"	102
McNall,	"	41	Stoner,	"	104
Deitrich,	"	42	Gregory,	"	105
Simms,	"	43	Bieber,	"	106
Gerlach,	"	44	Phillips,	"	107
Baldwin,	"	47	Kramer,	"	108
Abel,	"	48	Warfle,	"	109
Eckert,	"	49	Fryer,	"	111
Bear,	"	50	Hutchinson,	"	112
McGowan,	"	51	Beamish,	"	113
Rulon,	"	52	Colehower,	"	114
Black,	"	54	McGratty,	"	115
Roberts,	"	56	Morton,	"	118
Morath,	"	57	Shipps,	"	119
Rcbman,	"	58	Rieder,	"	126
Leisiger,	"	60	Craighead,	"	133
Erb,	"	61	Baker, D. C.,	"	1
Cornman,	"	63	Metzel, "	"	2
Deutenberg,	"	64	Weaver, "	"	4
Henry,	"	65			

On motion, leave of absence was granted to the Rep. of No. 7.

P. S.'s Christian Breitlauch, No. 15, August Voltz, No. 57, J. A. Willis and Oliver Fulton, of No. 58, were admitted and duly instructed.

The Board of Appeals presented the following report:—

PITTSBURG, 20th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Board of Appeals, appointed at the session at Harrisburg, one great sun ago, beg leave to lay before you the result of their labors for the last six moons, closing up all the work placed in their hands by the Great Sachem.

1. The Appeal of Wm. C. Haire *vs.* Chippewa Tribe, No. 51, was the first case claiming the attention of the Board. It appears from the evidence adduced before the Board, that brother Haire was hurt while following his usual occupation (that of a painter), on the 20th of Snow Moon, 378, was reported at the next council of his Tribe, was visited, and benefits paid him up to the 9th of Worm Moon, 379, when the Relief Committee reported him able to follow the hunt. From this action Haire appeals. Certificates from several eminent surgeons were presented, showing that Haire's injuries were not as severe as he would wish his friends believe. After due consideration the Board voted to sustain the Tribe.

An appeal from George W. Robinson *vs.* Idaho Tribe, No. 73, was next taken up. This appeal is from an action of Idaho Tribe in suspending brother Robinson for six moons, for a remark made in regard to the Keeper of Wampum and the late Chief of Records. It appears from the evidence before the Board, that the committee appointed to try this case were unfair in their dealings with brother Robinson, not allowing his witnesses an opportunity to properly give in their evidence. The Tribe also acted irregularly, in allowing one brother to vote who was in arrears, when in another case, a few seven suns later, they refused to let him vote on a case, when it was certain he would cast his vote against the Tribe. After carefully reviewing the evidence, and spending considerable time over the case, the following resolution was passed:—

Resolved, That the action of Idaho Tribe, No. 73, in suspending George W. Robinson for six moons, be reversed, and that he be restored to full membership in the Tribe.

The next case presenting itself is that of Joseph B. Wimmel, in behalf of the widow of Wm. Taylor *vs.* Nevada Tribe, No. 76. This appeal is from the action of Nevada Tribe in refusing to pay the funeral benefit of Wm. Taylor, on the plea that at the time of his death he was three moons in arrears. This is not proven to the Board by the Tribe's own records; but on the contrary, we find that he was in good standing. The following resolution was passed:—

Resolved, That the action of Nevada Tribe, No. 76, in refusing to pay the funeral benefit to the widow of the late Wm. Taylor, be reversed, and

that Nevada Tribe be, and is hereby directed to pay the usual funeral benefit to the widow of their late brother, Wm. Taylor.

The appeal of Samuel Barrington from the action of Idaho Tribe, No. 73, in suspending him for two great suns for an offence committed not in the Order of Red Men, but in an organization composed of Red Men, and for which he had been tried, convicted, and was now undergoing punishment, notwithstanding his willingness to make full restitution; although his brother-in-law was the real guilty person, and he, to escape punishment, left for parts unknown, was taken up, and witnesses heard on both sides. The Board, after weighing the evidence carefully, consider Samuel Barrington not guilty of the offence charged against him in Idaho Tribe, and therefore offer the following resolution :—

Resolved, That the action of Idaho Tribe, No. 73, in suspending Samuel Barrington for two great suns, be reversed, and that he be restored to full membership in his Tribe.

An appeal from John George Eichenmuller *vs.* Allegheny Tribe, No. 57, in the German language, was placed in our hands early during the last term; but owing to the removal of the translator, and no one knowing his residence, it lay over until near the close of the last moon, when he was found, and the case placed in his hands for translation, which was returned in due time, and was taken up by the Board; but, on examining the records in the case, we found that the trial had not been regular, as the journal failed to show that a committee had been appointed, or give the names of such committee, neither its organization on the sleep of its appointment. On account of its irregularities the appellant, John George Eichenmuller is deemed not guilty, and the action of the Tribe is reversed.

The last case claiming the attention of the Board is that of Noble McClintock *vs.* Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, in refusing benefits for an accidental spraining of the ankle, the Tribe claiming that the injury was caused by the appellant being under the influence of intoxicating drinks. This, however, is not proven by the representatives of the Tribe; but on the contrary, the appellant clearly proved by the evidence of two witnesses that he was not intoxicated. After examining the evidence before them, the Board are of the opinion that the ground on which the Tribe based its action did not exist, and therefore direct Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, to pay Noble McClintock seven seven suns benefits.

Upon the kindling of the council fire of this Great Council, the appeals of John George Weaver *vs.* Codorus Tribe, No. 78, of York, and Theodore M. Beams *vs.* Winnebago Tribe, No. 35, of Altoona, were placed in the hands of the Board. In regard to the former, we found the documents in the German language. The second we found to be irregular, because no journal of the committee accompanied the case. These cases are therefore very respectfully returned to the Great Council for the action of the new Board of Appeals.

Here the Board of Appeals brings its labors to a close, and returns to you the commission with which you invested them one great sun ago, thanking you for the honor conferred on them in appointing them to perform the responsible and arduous duties which are herewith presented. The Board have performed these duties conscientiously, believing the decisions arrived at to be in all cases for the best interests of the Order at large. They have spent much time and labor in this work, and hope their earnest endeavors to do right to all concerned may meet with the hearty approval of this Great Council.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

J. F. MADEIRA, *Chairman*,
J. DAVID MILLER, *Secretary*,
C. H. THWAITE,
A. B. BISHOP, C. S. ABEL,
HENRY FITE, H. MAYFARTH.

Rep. Smith, No. 20, moved that the Great Council proceed to its consideration *seriatim*, which was agreed to.

The case of Wm. C. Haire *vs.* No. 51 being again read, Rep. Brown, No. 2, moved that the decision of the Board be sustained, which was agreed to.

In the case of G. W. Robinson *vs.* No. 73, Rep. Brown, No. 2, moved that the resolution be adopted, which was agreed to.

In the case of Joseph B. Wimmel *vs.* No. 76, Rep. Brown, No. 2, moved that the decision be sustained.

P. G. S. Eckert moved to recommit the same to the Board, with instructions to examine the books of the Tribe to ascertain whether the brother was in good standing at the time of his decease, which was agreed to.

In the case of Samuel Barrington *vs.* No. 73, Rep. Taylor, No. 79, moved that the resolution be adopted, which was agreed to.

In the case of John G. Eichenmuller *vs.* No. 57, Rep. Schmitt, No. 15, moved that the decision be sustained, which was agreed to.

In the case of Noble McClintock *vs.* No. 33, Rep. Higman, No. 38, moved that the decision of the Board be sustained.

P. G. S. Stewart moved to amend, that the decision of the Board be reversed and the action of the Tribe sustained which was agreed to.

The Committee on Law and Usage presented the following report:—

PITTSBURG, 20th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage, to whom was referred the petition of Kishacaquillas Tribe, No. 65, praying to be allowed to restore J. B. Urban to membership, would respectfully submit the following resolution:—

Resolved, That Kishacaquillas Tribe, No. 65, be granted the privilege of restoring Jacob B. Urban to membership in said Tribe.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

E. F. STEWART,
WM. B. ECKERT,
HENRY FELDMAN.

Rep. Rambo, No. 3, moved that the report be received and the resolution adopted, which was agreed to.

The Committee on Law and Usage presented a report, to which objections being made,

G. C. of R. Baker moved that the report be recommitted, with instructions to acknowledge the protest of the minority, which was agreed to.

The Committee on State of the Order presented the following:—

PITTSBURG, 20th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: We the Committee on the State of the Order, to whom was referred the report of the Great Sachem, beg leave to report that the information contained therein is eminently gratifying, evincing a healthy condition and showing a large increase in the membership during the last six moons, and promising a still larger increase and prosperity in the future.

Your Committee can find nothing requiring or calling their attention further in the report, but would offer the following resolutions:—

Resolved, That we return our sincere thanks for the kind reception we have met with at the hands of our brothers in Pittsburg, and to Pontiac Tribe for the free use of their wigwam for the sessions of the Great Council.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Great Council are due and the same are hereby given to G. S. Conley and the other Chiefs, for their untiring efforts to advance the interest of our Order, and the thanks are also due to

the various Deputies for the satisfactory manner they have performed their duties.

Respectfully submitted, in F. F. and C.

HENRY C. BALDWIN,
G. K. SWAIN,
THOS. A. WINKWORTH.

Rep. Brown, No. 2, moved that the report be received and the resolutions adopted, which was agreed to.

The Committee on Law and Usage presented the following report:—

PITTSBURG, 20th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage, to whom was referred the petition of Conodogwinit Tribe, No. 108, and also the protest of brothers of said Tribe, would respectfully report that they have examined the same, and would refer the prayer to have the Work changed to English, and the protest, to this Great Council for settlement.

Respectfully submitted, in F. F. and C.

WM. B. ECKERT,
HENRY FELDMAN.

P. G. S. Stewart moved that the report be received and the Great Council proceed to the consideration of the petition, which was agreed to.

P. G. S. Stewart moved that the prayer of the petitioners be granted, and the work of Conodogwinit Tribe, No. 108, be changed from the German to the English language.

P. G. I. Cameron, by permission, moved to extend the time for quenching the council fire for thirty breaths, which was agreed to.

The motion of P. G. S. Stewart was then adopted.

Rep. Metzel moved to quench the council fire, which was agreed to.

The council fire was then quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PITTSBURG, 21*st Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D.* 379.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled and kindled the council fire in ample form, at the 8th run rising of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

ADAM SCHUH—Great Sachem.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Junior Sagamore.
SAMUEL WEAVER—Great Prophet, *pro tem.*
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
HENRY C. BALDWIN—Great Sannap.
GEORGE METZEL—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And the following Representatives:—

Brown,	No.	2	Baldwin,	No.	47
Rambo,	"	3	Abel,	"	48
Gregory,	"	4	Eckert,	"	49
Feldman,	"	5	Bear,	"	50
Baker,	"	12	McGowan,	"	51
Waitneight,	"	13	Rulon,	"	52
Mayfarth,	"	14	Black,	"	54
Brown,	"	18	Roberts,	"	56
Wright,	"	19	Morath,	"	57
Smith,	"	20	Rebman,	"	58
Villee,	"	22	Erb,	"	61
Hill,	"	26	Cornman,	"	63
Jacoby,	"	27	Deutenberg,	"	64
Whitman,	"	28	Henry,	"	65
Kershaw,	"	29	Storey,	"	66
Sparks,	"	30	Flood,	"	68
Strouse,	"	31	Goodwin,	"	70
Jones,	"	32	Brown,	"	71
Musselman,	"	33	Guyger,	"	73
Stimer,	"	35	Weber,	"	74
Ziegler,	"	37	Bossert,	"	75
Higman,	"	38	Swain,	"	76
McGinnis,	"	39	Millhouse,	"	77
McNall,	"	41	Taylor,	"	79
Deitrich,	"	42	Morrison,	"	80
Simms,	"	43	Kelley,	"	81
Gerlach,	"	44	Thomas,	"	82

Beale,	No. 83	Kramer,	No. 108
Rinker,	" 84	Warfle,	" 109
Bleiler,	" 85	Fryer,	" 111
Yarnall,	" 86	Beamish,	" 113
Naylor,	" 87	Colehower,	" 114
Angus,	" 90	Morton,	" 118
Shultz,	" 91	Rieder,	" 126
Deeker,	" 93	Craighead,	" 133
Shearer,	" 96	Baker, D. C.	" 1
Boyer,	" 102	Metzel, "	" 2
Bieber,	" 106	Weaver, "	" 4
Phillips,	" 107		

P. S.'s Joseph Berrier, No. 12, Adam Kustus and Christian F. Goefke, No. 64, being in waiting, were duly instructed and admitted to membership in the Great Council.

Record of previous session read and adopted.

The Committee on Law and Usage presented the following report:—

PITTSBURG, 21st Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage, to whom was referred the communications from Coaquanock Tribe, No. 49, would respectfully submit, that after considering the subjects therein presented, deem it unnecessary to recommend any action on the part of this Great Council in reference to that relating to the "members of defunct Tribes paying their dues to this Great Council and receiving the rights and benefits of the Order therefrom," as the law provides for such cases, and which laws we deem wise and judicious.

For that in relation to abolishing the Travelling Card and Password, we recommend a reference to the Representatives to the G. C. of the U. S., for the reason that this Great Council has not the right or the power to legislate upon the subject.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

E. F. STEWART,
HENRY FELDMAN.

Rep. Smith, No. 20, moved that the report be accepted and the recommendation adopted, which was agreed to.

The Committee on Law and Usage presented the following report:—

PITTSBURG, 21st Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage, to whom was referred the report of the G. C. of R., relative to Vols. I and III, of the Proceedings, would say, that the work has been properly attended to; and we cannot refrain from calling the attention of the Great Council to the vast amount of labor performed by the G. C. of R., in preparing and indexing the volumes, as well as in the performance of his regular duties, and are of the opinion that not only the thanks of the Great Council are due, but that proper compensation should be awarded said Chief for the faithful and correct performance of the duties devolving upon him.

Your committee would urge upon the Tribes and members to procure copies of said volumes, not only as a history of the Order, but as a source of reference in regard to the action and decisions of this Great Council upon the various questions which have been brought before it. In conclusion, we would offer the following resolution:—

Resolved, That the thanks of this Great Council are due, and they are hereby tendered to G. C. of R. Baker for the prompt and efficient manner in which he has performed the arduous duties devolving upon him.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

E. F. STEWART,
WM. B. ECKERT,
HENRY FELDMAN.

P. S. Probasco moved the report be accepted and the resolution adopted, which was agreed to.

Rep. Warfle, No. 109, moved that the 4th run setting of the sun, be set apart for the exemplication of the unwritten work, which was lost.

The run for the special order having arrived,

On motion of Rep. Baldwin, the Great Council went into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of the report of the Committee on Law and Usage on the revision of By-Laws (P. S. Probasco in the chair), and after some time spent therein the committee rose, and reported the same with amendments.

Rep. Fryer. No. 111, moved to adopt the laws as reported, which was agreed to.

Rep. Brown, No. 2, moved to go into secret session for the exemplication of the private work, which was agreed to.

P. G. S.'s Stewart and Conley then proceeded with the exemplication.

The Council fire was quenched in due form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PITTSBURG, 21*st Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D.* 379.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled and kindled the Council fire in due form, at the 2nd run setting of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

ADAM SCHUH—Great Sachem.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Junior Sagamore.
SAMUEL WEAVER—Great Prophet, *pro tem.*
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
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GEORGE METZEL—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And the following Representatives:—

Brown,	No.	2	Jones,	No.	32
Rambo,	"	3	Musselman,	"	33
Gregory,	"	4	Stimer,	"	35
Feldman,	"	5	Zeigler,	"	37
Baker,	"	12	Higman,	"	38
Waitneight,	"	13	McGinnis,	"	39
Mayfarth,	"	14	McNall,	"	41
Schmitt,	"	15	Dietrich,	"	42
Brown,	"	18	Simms,	"	43
Wright,	"	19	Gerlach,	"	44
Smith,	"	20	Baldwin,	"	47
Villee,	"	22	Abel,	"	48
Hill,	"	26	Eckert,	"	49
Jacoby,	"	27	Bear,	"	50
Whitman,	"	28	McGowan,	"	51
Kershaw,	"	29	Rulon,	"	52
Sparks,	"	30	Black,	"	54
Strouse,	"	31	Roberts,	"	56

Morath,	No.	57	Naylor,	No.	87
Rebman,	"	58	Angus,	"	90
Erb,	"	61	Shultz,	"	91
Cornman,	"	63	Decker,	"	93
Deutenberg,	"	64	Shearer,	"	96
Storey,	"	66	Boyer,	"	102
Flood,	"	68	Stoner,	"	104
Brown,	"	71	Gregory,	"	105
Bankert.	"	72	Beiber,	"	106
Guyger,	"	73	Phillips,	"	107
Weber,	"	74	Kramer,	"	108
Bossert,	"	75	Warfle,	"	109
Swain,	"	76	Hutchinson,	"	112
Millhouse,	"	77	Beamish,	"	113
Taylor,	"	79	Colehower,	"	114
Morrison,	"	80	McGratty,	"	115
Kelley,	"	81	Morton,	"	118
Thomas,	"	82	Rieder,	"	126
Beale,	"	83	Craighead,	"	133
Rinker,	"	84	Baker, D. C.	"	1
Bleiler,	"	85	Metzel, "	"	2
Yarnall,	"	86	Weaver, "	"	4

P. S. Charles F. Porter, No. 58, being in waiting, was admitted and duly instructed.

The Great Sachem made the following appointments:—

Committee on Law and Usage.

A. Cameron, No. 50, Wm. B. Eckert, No. 49, H. Feldman, No. 5.

Committee on State of Order.

M. J. Weaver, No. 22, J. D. Baker, No. 12, C. Naylor, No. 87.

Returns and Reports.

H. J. Stoner, No. 104, J. D. Miller, No. 22, D. McGowan, No. 51.

Board of Appeals.

W. C. Probasco, No. 51, G. S. Craighead, No. 133, L. Goldberg, No. 7.
John Dumbell, No. 17, Wm. H. Hartley, No. 8, T. O. Hill, No. 26.
Charles Rieder, No. 126.

Finance Committee.

W. G. Hollis, No. 50, A. J. Funk, No. 70, T. D. Rulon, No. 52.

P. G. S. Stewart offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That when this Great Council fire is quenched, it be rekindled in the City of Philadelphia, on the sleep of the 10th Sun, Sturgeon Moon, for the purpose of raising up Great Prophet elect, Frank C. Knipe, and for the admission of Past Sachems, and no other business shall be transacted.

The Finance Committee presented the following report:—

PITTSBURG, 21st Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 379.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Finance Committee respectfully present the following report for your consideration. We have examined the accounts of the G. C. of R. and the G. K. of W. for the past six moons, and find them to be correct. The following statement exhibits the condition of the Belt:—

	fa.	*ft.*	*in.*
Receipts of the session of Cold Moon last,	2314	6	8
Expenditures as per orders,	1642	0	0
Balance in K. of W.'s hands,	672	6	8
Receipts of the present session, percentage,	2378	3	6
Dispensations,	199	5	0
Charter fees,	600	0	0
Books, cards, &c.	103	2	6
By balance,	672	6	8
Total,	3953	8	0

We have examined the following bills and find them correct:—

G. C. of U. S. for supplies,	352	3	5
Morris H. Gorham, Office rent,	50	0	0
" " Gas bill,	3	0	0
G. Kirsch, printing 100 copies German Proceedings,	90	0	0
John Benkert, translating " "	24	0	0
Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, rent of Hall for Committee,	14	0	0
T. K. Donnalley, G. G. of F., salary,	7	5	0
" " Porterage,	1	5	0
" " Expressage to and from Pittsburg,	5	5	0
" " 43 Representatives badges,	8	0	0
Wm. B. Eckert, printing 600 English Proceedings,	213	3	5
" " " 200 Index to Vol. III,	18	5	0
" " " Notices, tickets, &c.	19	7	5
" " " 1 r'm Circulars B. F. Ass'n,	10	7	5
" " " ½ r'm Letter and Note,	5	7	5
" " " Notices of session, &c.	7	0	0
" " " ½ ream blank roll,	5	2	5
" " " 250 D. G. S.'s Commissions,	5	0	0
" " " 250 G. S.'s report,	29	4	0
" " " Vol. I, Proceedings, 312 pps.	622	3	5
Adam Schuh, G. S. S., expenses,	29	4	0
Postage,	38	5	0
Express, freight, telegrams, &c.	15	0	6

	fa.	ft.	in.
W. L. Dickson, filling up 8 charters, ...	4	0	0
Beverly Copes, binding Proceedings of G. C. . .	7	8	0
J. David Miller, Board of Appeals, postage, &c. .	5	5	0
E. F. Stewart, Com. on L. and U. postage, &c. .	1	7	2
A. A. Anderson & Son, printing amendm'ts to laws,	6	5	0
A. J. Baker, G. C. of R., salary, ...	75	0	0
" " " expenses	26	2	0
C. C. Conley, G. S., "	26	2	0
Jas. A. Moss, G. J. S., "	26	2	0
Samuel Weaver, G. P., "	27	5	5
L. C. Pierce, G. K. of W. "	26	2	0
Samuel Taylor, G. Sannap, "	26	2	0
T. K. Donnalley, G. G. F. "	26	2	0
W. G. Hollis, Finance Committee, expenses, . .	26	2	0
A. J. Funk, " " " . .	26	2	0
T. D. Rulon, " " " . .	26	2	0
E. F. Stewart, Com. on Law and Usage, expenses, .	26	2	0
Wm. B. Eckert, " " " " .	26	2	0
H. Feldman, " " " " .	26	2	0
J. David Miller, Board of Appeals, expenses, . .	26	2	0
H. Mayfarth, " " " . .	26	2	0
A. B. Bishop, " " " . .	26	2	0
C. S. Abel, " " " . .	26	2	0
T. A. Winkworth, Com. on State of Order, expenses,	26	2	0
H. C. Baldwin, " " " " .	31	1	5
G. K. Swain, " " " " .	26	2	0
C. H. Thwaite, mileage, attending Board of Appeals,	6	0	0
Wm. Aten, D. G. S., expenses per bill, ...	2	4	5
Henry Crispens, Janitor of Hall, ...	9	0	0
Percentage to Great Council of the United States, .	537	9	8
Per capita tax " " .	590	2	0
	3452	4	1

The following amounts for mileage of Representatives is also presented:

Thomas W. Brown,	No. 2, ...	14	3	0
George K. Rambo,	" 3, ...	17	7	5
I. N. Gregory,	" 4, ...	17	7	5
J. W. Bisbing,	" 7, ...	17	7	5
J. D. Baker,	" 12, ...	12	4	5
W. W. Waitneight,	" 13, ...	16	3	5
W. G. Brown,	" 18, ...	17	7	5
Samuel Wright,	" 19, ...	17	7	5
R. C. Smith,	" 20, ...	17	7	5
H. W. Villee,	" 22, ...	14	3	0
T. O. Hill,	" 26, ...	17	7	5

			fa.	ft.	in.
Edwin Jacoby,	No.	27,	17	7	5
J. W. Whitman,	"	28,	16	6	5
Jonathan Kershaw,	"	29,	18	5	5
J. B. Sparks,	"	30,	18	0	5
Lewis Strouse,	"	31,	15	9	5
Peter Jones,	"	32,	17	7	5
M. V. B. Musselman,	"	33,	18	0	5
Wm. Stimer,	"	35,	5	8	5
J. B. Zeigler,	"	37,	14	2	5
C. B. Higman,	"	38,	17	7	5
James McGinnis,	"	39,	13	7	0
George McNall,	"	41,	14	2	0
J. Deitrich,	"	42,	9	9	5
Robert Simms,	"	43,	17	7	5
Joseph Gerlack,	"	44,	14	3	0
E. T. Bear,	"	50,	17	7	5
Daniel McGowan,	"	51,	17	7	5
Job Rulon,	"	52,	17	7	5
James Black,	"	54,	19	7	5
R. T. Roberts,	"	56,	17	7	5
Gotleib Leisiger,	"	60,	3	9	0
Martin Erb,	"	61,	12	4	0
F. J. Cornman,	"	63,	18	0	5
Jacob Henry,	"	65,	14	9	0
Henry Storey,	"	66,	3	9	0
A. B. Flood,	"	68,	7	5	5
Samuel Goodwin,	"	70,	17	7	5
J. L. Brown,	"	71,	8	7	5
M. Bankert,	"	72,	1	1	0
P. Geiger,	"	73,	17	7	5
T. E. Weber,	"	74,	14	2	5
H. R. Bossert,	"	75,	16	0	0
J. C. Millhouse,	"	77,	16	1	5
J. H. Morrison,	"	80,	8	3	2
J. L. Kelley,	"	81,	19	6	5
M. J. Thomas,	"	82,	16	9	5
W. H. Beal,	"	83,	15	7	5
Charles Rinker,	"	84,	17	8	5
George Bleiler,	"	85,	5	8	5
C. R. Yarnall,	"	86,	19	6	0
Charles Naylor,	"	87,	17	7	5
George Angus,	"	90,	17	4	5
John Shultz,	"	91,	12	4	5
Daniel Deeker,	"	93,	14	2	5
J. A. Shearer,	"	96,	11	6	5

		fa.	ft.	in.
J. A. Boyer,	No. 102,	6	5	5
J. H. Stoner,	" 104,	17	7	5
N. C. Gregory,	" 105,	19	0	5
N. Beiber,	" 106,	18	4	5
John Phillips,	" 107,	17	4	5
F. C. Kramer,	" 108,	14	0	0
H. Warfle,	" 109,	7	7	5
S. J. Fryer,	" 111,	14	0	0
J. M. Hutchinson,	" 112,	2	5	0
John Beamish,	" 113,	17	7	5
Z. Colehower,	" 114,	14	6	0
J. Morton,	" 118,	17	7	5
D. Shipps,	" 119,	18	2	5
Charles Rieder,	" 126,	17	7	5
G. S. Craighead,	" 133,	17	7	5
George Metzel, D. C.	" 2,	14	2	5
M. J. Weaver, "	" 4,	14	3	0
Total mileage,		1092	7	7
Amount of bills,		3452	4	1
Appropriations,		710	0	0
Total,		5255	1	8
Receipts present session,		3281	1	2
		1974	0	6
Amount in G. K. W.'s hands last report,		672	6	8
Deficiency,		1301	3	8

We have examined the reports of the various Tribes, and find them so far as received to be correct, with the exception of No. 12, which has over paid 2 fathoms 2 feet 2 inches; No. 108, 9 fathoms 6 feet 6 inches; No. 124, 7 feet 8 inches—total 12 fathoms 6 feet 6 inches. The following are deficient in returns: No. 37, 8 feet; No. 89, 9 feet 7 inches—total 1 fathom 7 feet 7 inches.

The following Tribes had not sent in their reports and percentage on the 15th sun, when your committee met for the purpose of examining reports; Nos. 53, 69, 96, 97, 98, 117, 119, 125, 129, 130, 132; but all, except Nos. 53, 97, 117, and 132, have since been received and examined.

The attention of Tribes has so frequently been called to the law in respect to sending in their reports, and the instructions of the G. C. of R. are so explicit in regard thereto, that we cannot see why some Tribes are so negligent; and we know of no remedy, except in the strict enforcement of the law debarring delinquent Tribes of representation in the Great Council, unless they comply with the provisions of the By-Laws relating thereto.

The committee have also had under their careful consideration the subject of compensation to the Great Sachem and Deputies, when travelling upon business appertaining to the duties of their office. With the exception of what they receive from *new Tribes* on their institution, or when *specially* called to visit a Tribe, there is no provision made by law, to the knowledge of your committee, to defray their expenses. We consider it unjust to expect the Great Chiefs to neglect their business, spend their means, and sacrifice their time and comfort to advance the Order for the mere honors of their positions. The committee would therefore recommend for your consideration the adoption of the following, and that it be incorporated in the By-Laws:—

Resolved, That the Great Sachem and his Deputies be allowed a per diem of —— fathoms for the time *actually* and *necessarily* spent when travelling in the discharge of their official duties, for which compensation is not otherwise provided, and they shall keep an accurate account thereof, and present the same to the Finance Committee at the regular sessions of the Great Council.

Resolved, That an appropriation of —— fathoms be made to the G. C. of R. for extra services during the term just ended.

Resolved, That an appropriation of fifteen fathoms be made to each Representative to the G. C. of U. S., for expenses in attending the next session thereof; but no order shall be drawn therefor prior to the 1st sun of Corn Moon next; and any amount of wampum paid to said Representatives by the G. C. of U. S. shall be paid into the Belt of this Great Council.

Resolved, That an appropriation of —— fathoms be made to the retiring Great Sachem, C. C. Conley, for extra expenses incurred by visiting Tribes in the discharge of his official duties.

Resolved, That the G. K. of W. be authorized to borrow on account of this Great Council the sum of seven hundred fathoms (or so much thereof as may be needed) for one great sun, at not more than 7 per cent. interest, to meet the deficiencies of this session.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

WM. G. HOLLIS,
ANDREW J. FUNK,
THOMAS D. RULON.

Rep. Brown, No. 2, moved to accept the report and consider the same *seriatim*, which was agreed to.

P. G. S. M. J. Weaver moved that orders be drawn for the amount of bills reported correct, which was agreed to.

Rep. Smith, No. 20, moved that so much of the report as refers to mileage and travelling expenses be referred back, which was agreed to.

The first resolution being under consideration, P. G. S. Weaver moved to lay it on the table, which was agreed to.

The second resolution being under consideration, the blank therein was filled by inserting two hundred and fifty fathoms, and the resolution adopted.

The third resolution was adopted.

The fourth resolution being read, Rep. Baker, No. 12, moved to insert two hundred and fifty fathoms and adopt the resolution, which was lost.

The fifth resolution was adopted.

P. G. I. Cameron presented the following, which was adopted.

Resolved, That the appropriation to the Great Sachem for travelling expenses in visitation of Tribes, shall not exceed fifty fathoms per term, unless an itemized account is rendered, showing the expenses have been greater.

Rep. Winkworth, No. 8, moved that an appropriation of one hundred fathoms be made to P. G. S. Conley.

Rep. Smith, No. 20, moved to amend by inserting the words "and fifty" after one hundred, which was lost.

The motion was adopted.

Rep. Rambo moved that the Great Chiefs be instructed to procure a larger wigwam in Philadelphia than that at Fourth and Walnut Streets, for the next session of the Great Council, which was agreed to.

P. S. Dumbell presented the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Representatives to the Great Council of the United States be instructed to support the resolution to confer the Past Sachem's degree upon a Chief of Records and Keeper of Wampum who shall have served five consecutive great suns.

P. S. Probasco presented the following:—

Resolved, That at the next regular session of the Great Council no legislation be enacted involving the expenditure of wampum, and that in view of the exhausted condition of the Belt, the Great Council, by common consent, agree to pay no mileage to Representatives for attendance at that session.

Rep. Smith, No. 20, moved it lay on the table, which was agreed to.

P. G. S. Stewart moved that the G. G. of F. be authorized to procure a larger trunk to contain the regalia, &c., which was agreed to.

Rep. Smith, No. 20, presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the Great Council return their sincere and heartfelt thanks to Pontiac Tribe, No. 15, for their liberality in furnishing the Great Council the free use of their Wigwam to hold their session in, and for their attentions to our wants, and extreme kindness during our visit to their hunting grounds.

P. S. Probasco presented the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That this Great Council acknowledge the many courtesies extended to them during their sojourn on their hunting grounds in Allegheny county, and that the thanks of this Great Council are eminently due, and are hereby tendered to our brothers in Allegheny county for their sumptuous entertainment tendered to them on the sleep of the 20th sun.

P. G. S. Stewart presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the thanks of this Great Council are due, and they are hereby tendered to the Press of the city of Pittsburg for their kind and generous notices of the Great Council of the Improved Order of Red Men, during its session in this city.

The Council fire was quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PHILADELPHIA, 10*th Sun, Sturgeon Moon, G. S. D.* 379.

An adjourned session of the Great Council of Pennsylvania, Improved Order of Red Men, was held at Pocahontas Wigwam. Council fire kindled in due form, at the 8th run setting of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

ADAM SCHUH—Great Sachem.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Senior Sagamore.
WM. B. ECKERT—Great Junior Sagamore, *pro tem.*
E. F. STEWART—Great Prophet, *pro tem.*
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
L. GOLDBERG—Great Sannap, *pro tem.*
THOMAS O. HILL—Great Guard of Wigwam, *pro tem.*
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And the following Representatives:—

Feldman,	No. 5	McGowan.	No. 51
Flemming,	" 17	Guyger,	" 73
Hill,	" 26	Swain,	" 76
Jacoby,	" 27	Stoner,	" 104
Jones,	" 32	Beamish,	" 113
Musselman,	" 33	Craighead,	" 133
Eckert,	" 49	Baker, D. C.	" 1

Certificates of P. S.'s John A. Roberts, No. 7, E. W. O'Brian, No. 28, and Wm. H. Dean, No. 53, were read, and the following being in waiting were admitted and duly instructed:—

John A. Roberts,	No. 7	Harry Lang,	No. 79
Philip C. Fisher,	" 52	Robert Parks,	" 87
George W. Hoffman,	" 70	Frank Wobensmith,	" 116
John F. Little,	" 76		

Credentials of Rep. James Harrison, No. 53, and Peter G. Frutchey, No. 117, were read, and the Representatives acknowledged.

P. G. S. Eckert, assisted by P. G. I. Cameron, duly raised up P. G. S. Frank C. Knipe as Great Prophet.

Unanimous consent being given, a petition was read from Allegheny Tribe, No. 57, requesting the consent of the Great

Council to appeal to the Great Council of the United States, in the case of J. George Eichenmuller *vs.* said Tribe.

On motion, the consent of the Great Council was given to Allegheny Tribe, No. 57, to appeal in the case named.

Unanimous consent being given, a communication was read from Narraganset Tribe, No. 43, asking permission of the Great Council to restore P. S. Henry Crouch (an expelled member) to membership.

On motion, permission was granted.

The resignation of P. G. I. Cameron as Chairman of the Committee on Law and Usage having been received by the Great Sachem, P. G. S. Stewart was appointed to fill the vacancy.

The Council fire was quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

RECEIPTS FROM BOOKS, CARDS, &c.,

FURNISHED TRIBES.

No.	*fa.*	*ft.*	*in.*	*No.*	*fa.*	*ft.*	*in.*
3	25	0	0	68	1	0	0
4		3	0	71	1	5	0
5		6	0	73	3	9	0
13	3	7	5	99	2	5	2
14		9	0	100	2	7	0
18	2	0	0	101	2	2	5
19		7	5	102		9	0
27	5	0	0	104	1	4	4
29	1	5	0	105		9	0
32	1	5	0	107	3	7	5
39		3	0	108	1	3	5
41	5	0	0	110	4	5	0
42	1	5	0	111	3	6	0
51	2	7	0	113	1	5	0
56	7	5	0	118	3	0	0
58		9	0	119	3	7	5
65	2	0	0	123		5	0
					100	2	6

RECEIPTS FROM DISPENSATIONS.

	fa.	*ft.*	*in.*
Amount received by G. S. Charles C. Conley,	67	0	0
" " G. S. S. Adam Schuh,	14	5	0
" " D. G. S. Oswald Heckman,	20	5	0
" " " J. W. Hickman,	1	5	0
" " " J. Oliver Gipple,	13	0	0
" " " M. J. Thomas,	22	0	0
" " " J. A. Fredcrick,	19	0	0
" " " William Aten,	20	5	0
" " " E. N. R. Ohl,	11	5	0
" " " T. B. Richard,	10	0	0
	199	5	0

ELECTION RETURNS FOR GREAT CHIEFS AND REPRESENTATIVES TO THE GREAT COUNCIL OF THE UNITED STATES.

TRIBES.	No.	G.S.	G.S.S.	G. J. S.			G.P.	G.C.R.	G.K.W.	REPRESENTATIVES TO GREAT COUNCIL OF UNITED STATES.																				
		Adam Schuh.	James A. Moss.	Wm. G. Hollis.	John Rebman.	F. F. Snyder.	Frank C. Knipe.	And. J. Baker.	Lewis C. Pierce.	E. F. Stewart.	Wm. B. Eckert.	Hen. Mayfarth.	H. C. Baldwin.	E. A. Dressler.	Wm. Kelley.	J. W. Whitman.	Frank C. Knipe.	N. B. Moninger.	Sam. B. Taylor.	C. H. Brady.	John Dumbell.	Wm. Aten.	L. Goldberg.	Geo. McNall.	W. D. Steigerwalt.	Charles Rieder.	R. B. Antrim.	E. V. O'Neil.	Wm. G. Hollis.	Geo. K. Swrain.	E. T. Bear.
Tecumseh.....	1	3	3	..	3	..	3	3	3	..	3	3	3	1	3	3	3	3	3	2	..	3	..	3	3	..	..	3	..	..	..
Metamora	2	11	11	2	..	9	11	11	11	11	11	11	7	11	6	6	11	10	6	11	5	10	5	1	2	2	5	4	1	..	4
Leni Lenape....	3	3	3	..	3	..	3	3	3	..	3	..	3	3	3	3	..	3	3	3	2	3	3	3	..	3	..	..	..	..	..
Kuquenaku	4	8	8	1	6	1	8	8	8	3	7	3	4	7	3	7	6	5	8	2	3	3	6	4	7	7	5	2	1	4	6
Pocahontas	5	21	21	1	12	8	21	21	21	21	21	14	13	21	10	9	21	21	18	1	14	1	20	1	19	20	3	8	11	3	1
Wyoming	7	11	11	1	7	3	11	11	11	9	10	..	10	8	10	10	10	5	5	4	7	6	11	3	4	2	7	..	4	2	3
Shawnese	8	14	14	3	9	2	14	8	14	13	13	3	9	5	11	6	13	8	7	7	5	6	6	12	4	8	12	13	9	6	5
Perkiomen.....	13	2	2	1	1	..	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mohawk.....	14	14	14	..	13	1	14	14	14	1	13	14	13	13	13	14	12	13	14	2	1	1	1	13	13	14	1	1	1	13	1
Pontiac	15	7	7	..	7	..	7	7	7	6	7	6	5	7	4	7	5	6	5	..	2	6	7	..	7	2	2	..	3	1	3
Chattahoochee..	17	10	10	5	4	1	10	10	10	7	9	..	8	9	1	2	8	5	8	3	8	7	5	2	8	2	4	6	6	7	2
Pequod.....	18	16	16	..	16	..	16	14	16	15	14	..	16	16	10	16	15	16	16	9	7	15	9	..	2	16	..	8	..	7	1
Cherokee	19	10	10	7	1	2	10	9	9	7	1	1	2	1	4	6	1	10	10	10	8	6	..	6	2	10	10	8	2	7	9
Pawnee.....	20	3	3	..	3	..	3	3	3	3	3	1	2	3	3	2	3	3	1	2	2	2	1	..	1	3	3	..	..	1	..
Eeshahkonee ...	22	21	21	..	21	..	21	21	21	4	19	21	18	21	3	18	21	1	18	19	1	2	21	20	21	1	18	6	6	20	2
Black Hawk....	26	8	8	..	1	7	8	8	8	7	8	2	8	..	6	7	8	1	8	7	..	2	1	7	2	5	1	8	7	8	..
Mohegan	27	16	16	4	12	..	16	16	16	16	16	..	16	16	7	15	16	6	16	..	16	10	..	2	16	9	10	..	4	16	..
Tuscarora.....	29	11	11	3	6	1	11	10	10	..	11	3	9	10	10	9	10	7	11	1	2	2	11	2	10	4	8	1	10	8	..
Seminole.....	30	7	7	4	3	..	7	6	7	4	4	7	..	7	..	7	7	7	6	6	1	2	..	1	7	1	7	3	..	7	7
Cayugas.....	31	9	9	..	9	..	9	9	9	9	9	..	9	..	9	9	9	..	9	9	..	9	9	..	9	9	9	..	..	..	..
Wissahickon....	32	6	6	2	4	..	6	6	6	1	1	5	6	5	..	6	6	5	6	4	6	5	1	..	6	6	1	..	2	6	..
Wingohocking ..	33	9	9	9	..	..	9	9	9	7	8	1	3	3	9	..	9	9	9	5	6	3	8	3	3	2	9	8	6	2	3
Winnebago.....	35	4	4	..	3	..	4	..	4	3	4	4	3	2	3	4	2	3	2	4	3	3	2	3	2	2	..	..	..	1	1
Conewago.....	37	11	11	8	..	1	11	11	11	11	11	4	9	6	6	11	10	9	9	7	1	..	8	..	11	7	4	9	5	4	2
Sagoyewatha...	38	9	9	..	..	9	9	9	9	5	5	9	4	4	4	4	9	2	5	4	2	8	8	7	9	8	7	5	2	6	..
Chiquesalungo .	39	12	12	..	12	..	12	12	12	12	12	..	12	12	12	12	12	12	..	..	12	..	12	..	12	..	12	..	12	..	12
Seneca	41	5	5	..	5	..	5	5	5	5	4	5	5	5	..	5	3	5	..	..	..	2	5	5	5	2	5	..	3	1	..
Iroquois.....	42	6	6	..	6	..	6	5	6.	6	6	4	3	1	3	..	5	1	6	6	..	3	5	2	4	6	2	4	3	5	4
Narraganset....	43	5	5	..	5	..	5	5	5	..	5	5	5	5	..	..	5	5	7	..	5	..	..	5	5	5	..	..	..	5	5
Red Jacket.....	44	12	12	..	12	..	12	12	12	11	12	12	12	11	6	4	12	8	5	12	2	..	12	4	12	..	2	3	4	11	..
Uppowoc.....	47	8	8	8	..	..	8	8	8	8	8	..	8	..	8	8	8	..	..	8	8	8	8	8	8	..	8	..	..	..	..
Powhatan.....	48	9	8	..	9	..	9	9	9	..	7	3	2	3	1	2	5	4	8	6	9	7	7	8	9	7	7	6	6	8	4
Coaquanock....	49	12	12	6	4	2	12	12	12	12	12	..	11	10	8	8	12	9	10	1	10	3	5	2	10	12	2	..	9	9	..
Miquon.....	50	7	7	6	..	..	7	7	7	7	4	..	7	..	1	6	6	2	5	3	1	6	6	2	..	6	7	6	..	6	6
Chippewa	51	13	13	1	12	..	13	12	13	6	8	6	10	13	13	3	9	12	11	10	2	5	6	8	6	9	10	3	6	9	2

Camanchee.....	52	7	7	5	1	1	7	7	7	6	7	4	7	6	7	2	2	7	5	..	..	3	6	6	6	3	5	1	..	7	1
Washita.....	53	6	6	..	5	1	6	6	6	5	3	6	4	1	4	..	6	1	6	2	5	3	5	4	1	1	3	..	3	..	6
Wyalusing.....	56	5	5	..	..	5	5	5	5	5	5	3	1	2	4	5	5	..	4	2	4	4	4	1	2	2	3	3	2	1	1
Allegheny.....	57	10	10	..	2	8	10	10	10	10	10	6	5	10	7	10	5	5	6	1	1	1	10	5	9	9	2	..	..	9	8
Allequippa.....	58	7	7	..	7	..	7	7	..	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	6	7	..	..	7	7	..	6	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Otsego.....	59	5	5	..	5	..	5	5	5	2	4	3	2	1	5	3	4	2	4	5	1	4	1	4	5	3	3	4	2	3	1
Kickenapawling	60	7	7	..	7	..	7	7	7	7	7	..	7	7	7	7	7	7	..	..	7	7	7	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	7
Cornplanter....	61	5	5	2	..	3	5	5	..	5	5	4	5	5	5	5	5	1	2	2	5	1	5	..	4	..	3	3	..	..	..
Beaver.....	62	4	4	...	4	..	4	4	4	4	4	4	3	1	1	4	4	..	4	..	4	..	3	..	4	..	4	4	..	4	..
Wawatam.....	63	4	4	..	4	..	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	4	..	4
Ottowa.....	64	7	7	..	7	..	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	..	..	7	..	7	..	..	..	..	..
Kishacaquillas.	65	5	5	5	..	..	5	5	5	5	5	5	..	5	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	5	5	..	5	5	5	..	5	5	..
Kiskiminitis....	66	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	2	2	2	..	2	2	2	2	2	2	..	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Ongpatonga....	67	3	3	..	3	..	3	3	3	3	..	3	3	..	3	2	3	2	3	3	1	..	1	3	..	1	2	1	2	3	..
Arrapahoe.....	68	3	3	2	1	..	3	3	3	1	1	1	..	2	..	..	1	..	3	3	3	2	3	3	2	3	2	3	2	3	1
Shohomokin....	69	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Penobscot.....	70	4	4	2	1	1	4	4	4	..	4	..	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	..	4	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	4	4	..
Mattawana.....	71	4	4	1	..	3	4	4	4	2	4	2	2	3	2	3	2	3	4	2	2	1	3	4	2	3	..	2	2	3	2
Idaho.....	73	4	4	3	1	..	4	4	4	4	4	3	4	4	3	4	4	4	2	2	2	2	3	2	2	2	1	..	..	..	..
Juniata.....	74	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	2	2	2	..	2	2	..	..	2	2	..	2	..	..	2	2	..
Winona.....	75	2	2	2	..	..	2	2	2	2	2	..	2	2	..	2	2	..	..	..	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	..	2	2	..
Nevada.....	76	8	8	8	..	..	8	8	8	8	8	..	8	8	1	6	4	3	8	2	8	5	6	..	8	6	4	..	..	8	3
Mahoning.....	77	3	3	3	..	..	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	..	..	3	2	..	3	3	..	3	3	..	3	..	..	..	3	3	..
Codorus.....	78	3	3	3	..	..	3	3	3	3	3	3	..	3	2	2	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	3	3	1	1	..	1	2	1
Minnewa.....	79	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	2	2	2	2	..	2	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	2	..	2	2	2	2	1	2	..
Swatara.....	80	1	1	1	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tonnawanda...	81	5	5	4	1	..	5	5	..	5	5	..	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	1	..	..	4	5	4	..	..	5	..	..	..
Miami.....	82	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	2	2	2	2	..	2	..	..	2	2	..	..	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	..
Onondaga.....	83	3	3	..	..	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	1	2	1	3	1	3	2	1	..	3	3	3	2	..	2	..	..	..
Saranac.....	84	4	4	..	..	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	2	4	3	3	4	..	4	..	4	3	2	..	4	1	4	..	..	1	1
Tamany.....	85	2	2	..	..	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	2	..	2	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..
Kittatinny.....	88	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	1	..	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	1
Waunepewink..	89	2	2	..	1	1	2	2	2	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	2	2	1	2	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	1
Kickapoo.....	90	3	3	3	..	..	3	3	3	3	3	3	1	..	..	..	3	1	3	3	3	..	3	3	3	..	..	2	3	2	..
Octararo.....	91	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	..	2	2	2	..	2	..	..	2	2	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	..
Conewingo.....	93	3	3	3	..	..	3	3	3	3	3	3	1	3	3	3	3	1	1	2	2	2	..	1	3	1	..	..	1	2	1
Honayawus....	94	2	2	2	..	..	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Juskakaka.....	96	1	1	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	1	..	1	1	1	..	..
Standing Stone..	99	2	2	..	1	1	2	2	2	..	2	..	1	2	1	2	..	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	..	2	1
Bald Eagle.....	102	2	2	..	..	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	..	2	2	2	2	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..
Absaraka.....	104	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	2	2	..	2	..
Saukie.....	107	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	1	1	1	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	1	..
Manaiung.....	118	1	1	1	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Opokasset.....	122	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..
Cohocksink.....	126	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	..
Wissinoming...	133	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	..
		488	487	122	297	83	488	481	475	369	433	246	359	360	311	350	418	306	376	236	245	239	315	210	336	263	237	160	165	260	124

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TRIBES.	No.	Amount of receipts.	Expended for seven suns benefits.	Expended for funeral benefits.	Expended for other purposes.	Percentage paid Great Council.	Number of members.	Past Sachems.	Adopted.	Rejected.	Suspended.	Expelled.	Reinstated.	Admitted by card.	Withdrawn by card.	Deceased.
		fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.										
Tecumseh	1	307 1 0	148 0 0	80 0 0	130 4 9	18 4 2	116	6	8	2	2	..	..	..	..	1
Metamora	2	456 0 2	194 0 0	.....	278 2 5	27 3 6	229	21	5	..	6	..	..	1	..	3
Leni Lenape	3	74 0 0	.....	.....	.....	4 4 4	17	3	10	..	..	..	6	1	..	..
Kuquenaku	4	205 5 5	84 0 0	.....	114 8 5	12 3 3	97	21	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pocahontas	5	826 8 8	476 0 0	50 0 0	871 8 4	49 6 1	330	46	12	..	..	..	..	2	..	..
Wyoming	7	315 5 7	93 0 0	70 0 0	143 2 6	19 0 5	91	16	15	..	10	..	..	1	1	1
Shawnese	8	308 1 9	126 0 0	25 0 0	97 3 0	18 4 9	124	27	6	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Susquehanna	12	354 0 0	6 0 0	.....	162 6 5	23 4 6	90	4	60	..	..	..	7	..	..	..
Perkiomen	13	297 6 7	2 0 0	.....	100 3 2	17 9 6	74	3	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mohawk	14	257 0 0	214 0 0	150 0 0	99 7 7	15 4 2	139	22	11	..	4	..	..	..	6	..
Pontiac	15	473 4 3	259 0 0	167 0 0	570 1 2	28 4 0	187	13	7	3	4	1	..	..	1	2
Chattahoochee	17	160 1 2	18 0 0	.....	185 6 0	9 6 0	75	15	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pequod	18	1249 8 3	913 0 0	300 0 0	233 0 3	74 9 8	375	39	9	..	10	..	1	1	..	2
Cherokee	19	447 1 9	192 0 0	.....	1029 7 8	26 8 3	143	23	12	..	..	..	1	..	4	..
Pawnee	20	183 6 1	.....	.....	221 8 7	11 0 2	57	4	4	..	..	..	1	1	..	..
Eeshahkonee	22	740 9 4	194 0 0	210 0 0	229 3 5	44 4 5	288	39	8	3	10	..	..	1	2	2
Black Hawk	26	378 9 4	346 0 0	75 0 0	102 4 6	22 7 4	112	17	3	..	9	..	..	..	..	1
Mohegan	27	516 9 1	142 0 0	90 0 0	463 4 8	31 0 1	156	21	12	..	7	..	..	..	6	..
Conestoga	28	121 3 0	.....	.....	244 9 9	7 2 6	107	9	3	1	6	..	..	..	6	..
Tuscarora	29	473 4 5	52 2 5	.....	218 9 4	28 4 1	169	20	6	..	9	..	1	1	1	..
Seminole	30	344 3 3	208 0 0	.....	249 8 7	20 6 6	164	16	9	..	7	..	..	..	..	..
Cayugas	31	406 5 4	160 0 0	35 0 0	246 5 4	24 3 9	115	17	16	2	7	..	4	..	7	..
Wissahickon	32	242 8 6	291 0 0	.....	256 8 0	14 5 7	101	18	9	..	7	..	..	..	8	..
Wingohocking	33	1042 7 9	329 0 0	.....	42 5 0	62 5 7	244	14	10	1	16	..	..	..	..	..
Winnebago	35	147 6 0	8 0 0	.....	154 2 3	8 8 5	83	10	2	2	9	..	..	..	..	..
Conewago	37	794 1 4	245 0 0	.....	662 5 9	46 8 5	258	29	9	1	5	..	..	..	..	..
Sagoyewatha	38	381 7 3	256 0 0	50 0 0	173 0 2	22 9 0	168	17	11	..	12	..	2	..	2	1
Chiquesalungo	39	498 1 1	213 5 0	50 0 0	213 7 1	29 9 0	146	12	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
Seneca	41	258 0 1	70 5 0	30 0 0	164 7 7	15 4 8	126	15	5	1	6	2	2	..	1	1
Iroquois	42	217 5 4	193 7 0	.....	342 9 6	13 0 5	83	14	2	..	2	..	2	..	2	..
Narraganset	43	244 0 4	233 0 0	25 0 0	83 3 3	14 6 4	115	17	2	..	3	..	..	..	1	..
Red Jacket	44	470 0 0	217 0 0	.....	76 5 0	28 2 0	209	22	6	..	1	..	1	..	2	..
Uppowoc	47	167 2 1	7 0 0	.....	105 1 6	10 0 3	69	18	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Powhatan	48	442 2 0	283 4 0	50 0 0	244 3 7	26 5 3	155	20	13	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Coaquanock	49	346 8 9	407 0 0	100 0 0	160 4 5	20 8 1	122	20	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	2
Miquon	50	228 8 1	135 5 0	.....	145 6 9	13 7 3	83	16	2	..	3	..	2	..	..	..

Chippewa	51	421 1 8	260 0 0	37 0 0	251 2 5	25 9 7	172	21	9	..	..	1	1	..	8	..
Camanchee	52	495 2 1	288 7 3	60 0 0	110 2 7	29 7 1	157	16	4	..	8	..	1	..	1	1
Washita	53	528 1 1	163 0 0	30 0 0	568 3 9	31 6 8	197	18	10	2	..	..	2	..	1	..
Wyandotte	54	68 1 0	99 0 0	50 0 0	175 3 2	4 0 8	55	6	..	..	9	..	..	..	..	..
Wyalusing	56	271 7 5	236 0 0	25 0 0	274 2 5	16 3 0	114	13	3	..	17	..	3	..	11	..
Allegheny	57	415 8 1	322 0 0	418 5 0	395 9 1	25 0 0	214	11	13	..	1	..	..	..	1	4
Allequippa	58	222 2 5	......	......	190 1 5	13 3 5	43	7	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Otsego	59	263 8 9	70 0 0	30 0 0	......	15 8 3	91	8	17	..	..	..	2	..	..	1
Kickenapawling	60	278 8 0	64 5 0	25 0 0	255 6 5	16 7 3	108	9	6	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cornplanter	61	362 2 5	56 3 6	75 0 0	404 8 4	21 8 0	116	8	18	..	6	..	..	..	..	1
Beaver	62	318 3 7	68 0 0	......	221 2 9	19 1 0	125	5	6	..	7	..	..	..	..	1
Wawatam	63	220 2 3	85 0 0	......	105 5 3	13 3 9	92	9	3	..	6	..	..	..	1	..
Ottowa	64	495 6 1	144 0 0	......	314 0 5	29 7 3	147	8	9	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Kishacaquillas	65	135 8 4	52 0 0	40 0 0	93 2 2	8 1 5	50	7	2	..	7	..	..	..	1	1
Kiskiminitas	66	508 6 5	19 9 0	50 0 0	455 1 9	30 5 2	126	7	23	2	..	..	1	..	2	1
Ongpatonga	67	289 5 7	30 0 0	......	121 3 9	17 3 4	91	5	16	1	6	..	1	..	..	..
Arrapahoe	68	210 0 5	29 0 0	......	160 1 5	12 6 0	84	7	6	..	5	..	1	..	2	..
Shohomokin	69	110 5 7	36 0 0	......	42 9 9	6 6 3	85	7	1	1	6	..	..	..	1	..
Penobscot	70	437 5 0	279 0 0	50 0 0	199 0 0	26 2 5	193	8	14	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Mattawana	71	166 4 0	......	......	111 5 9	9 9 8	49	6	3	3	4	..	..	1	..	..
Tonnaluka	72	264 9 5	108 0 0	......	185 3 5	15 8 9	46	3	12	2	..	..	..	1	..	..
Idaho	73	640 4 2	137 6 0	......	209 3 5	38 4 3	216	6	29	..	15	1	..	..	3	2
Juniata	74	327 8 3	26 0 0	......	134 2 9	19 6 7	88	5	9	..	3	..	..	..	1	..
Winona	75	279 6 8	46 0 0	50 0 0	113 9 7	16 8 0	65	5	16	1	16	..	..	..	..	1
Nevada	76	699 5 4	231 0 0	75 0 0	280 3 6	41 9 7	291	9	18	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
Mahoning	77	244 0 8	63 0 0	......	128 3 3	20 1 0	100	4	10	..	1	..	..	..	7	..
Codorus	78	261 0 0	229 8 0	25 0 0	299 5 0	15 6 6	76	3	8	1	2	5	..	..	..	..
Minnewa	79	279 4 1	74 0 0	50 0 0	150 6 9	16 7 5	104	4	13	..	31	..	1	1	1	3
Swatara	80	101 5 5	6 0 0	......	......	6 0 9	36	2	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Tonnawanda	81	202 0 4	33 0 0	40 0 0	161 8 9	12 1 2	68	6	6	1	1	..	..	..	..	1
Miami	82	211 2 6	......	......	146 7 4	12 6 7	70	4	3	..	6	..	..	..	..	..
Onondago	83	150 1 8	29 0 0	......	89 2 4	9 0 1	76	5	4	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
Saranac	84	383 9 0	81 0 0	50 0 0	390 0 0	23 0 5	83	4	19	2	1	..	..	..	..	1
Tamany	85	130 0 0	22 0 0	......	79 8 9	7 8 0	39	4	3	..	11	..	..	..	2	..
Lenni	86	258 2 8	63 0 0	......	136 1 9	15 4 9	101	4	2	..	1	1	1	..	1	..
Sioux	87	847 6 4	47 0 0	30 0 0	985 6 2	50 8 5	264	4	120	2	1	..	..	..	..	..
Kittatinny	88	97 8 5	10 0 0	......	96 3 0	5 8 7	28	2	3	..	1	..	..	1	..	..
Wannepewink	89	188 7 3	......	......	176 3 5	10 3 5	65	4	8	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Kickapoo	90	222 6 5	20 0 0	......	133 5 0	13 3 6	57	4	9	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Octoraro	91	462 6 2	252 6 5	50 0 0	......	27 7 5	124	2	14	1	12	..	..	..	..	..
Wopwollopen	92	763 8 1	8 0 0	......	178 8 4	45 6 5	112	4	53	8	1	..	..	..	..	..
Conewingo	93	415 3 3	5 0 0	27 7 5	151 4 6	24 9 2	139	4	7	3	9	1	1	1	2	..
Honayawus	94	164 9 1	37 5 0	......	72 5 1	9 8 9	51	3	3	..	1	..	4	..	1	..
Otzinachson	95	42 2 5	......	......	33 0 1	2 5 5	44	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Juskakaka	96	105 6 5	20 0 0	......	......	6 3 3	28	3	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Malaeska	97	32 3 5	......	......	50 0 0	1 6 2	15	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

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		fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.										
Alpharetta	98	89 0 0	55 0 0	.....	45 0 9	5 3 4	37	2	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Standing Stone	99	126 6 1	32 5 0	.....	158 5 7	7 5 6	38	2	3	2	..	..	..	1	1	..
Yo Semite	100	271 4 5	.....	.....	150 7 7	16 2 8	70	2	10	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Uncas	101	112 7 6	.....	.....	69 4 0	6 7 6	50	2	7	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bald Eagle	102	214 4 7	.....	.....	154 4 7	12 8 6	56	2	17	4	..	1	..	1	..	1
Youghiogheny	103	352 6 2	20 0 0	15 0 0	313 7 8	21 1 5	88	3	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Absaraka	104	572 7 1	45 0 0	.....	155 3 0	34 3 6	154	3	52	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Navajo	105	584 0 0	.....	.....	.....	35 0 4	74	1	25	3	..	..	..	1	5	..
Chingachqook	106	272 3 3	5 0 0	.....	119 0 3	16 3 3	57	1	13	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Saukie	107	550 5 5	68 5 0	60 0 0	282 9 1	33 1 2	138	2	31	5	..	..	..	..	1	1
Conodogwinit	108	418 7 5	.....	.....	522 4 0	25 1 3	58	1	18	2	..	..	..	..	..	2
Red Warrior	109	411 2 7	2 0 0	.....	299 2 4	24 8 3	72	1	28	4	..	..	..	1	..	..
Lackawanua	110	538 7 0	.....	.....	378 3 2	32 3 3	50	1	28	4	..	..	..	..	6	..
Minnehaha	111	442 6 0	.....	.....	662 2 3	25 0 5	38	1	27	..	..	..	..	11	..	..
Nemocalling	112	294 4 4	.....	.....	332 2 6	26 6 0	45	1	45	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Osago	113	433 0 2	.....	.....	287 0 1	25 9 8	102	1	96	..	..	..	..	6	..	..
Chickasaw	114	408 8 0	.....	.....	261 7 9	24 5 2	58	1	38	1	..	..	..	20	..	..
Itah	115	196 9 0	.....	.....	.....	11 9 1	33	1	27	1	..	..	..	6	..	..
Quœkelinik	116	236 3 0	.....	.....	166 0 8	14 1 8	47	1	41	..	..	..	..	6	..	..
Teedyuscung	117	649 4 0	.....	.....	206 7 5	38 9 6	57	1	57	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Manaiung	118	290 0 0	.....	.....	318 0 8	18 4 8	79	2	65	1	..	..	..	14	..	..
Wahoo	119	720 8 0	.....	.....	265 2 5	43 2 5	75	1	74	1	..	..	..	7	6	..
Kiowas	120	232 7 5	.....	.....	159 5 0	13 9 7	40	..	40	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Catawissa	121	152 8 9	.....	.....	87 1 4	9 1 7	27	..	20	..	..	..	..	7	..	..
Opekasset	122	120 0 0	.....	.....	76 3 5	7 2 0	23	1	22	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Wampanoag	123	295 7 5	.....	.....	217 3 3	15 0 4	34	..	33	..	..	..	..	1	1	..
Miugo	124	220 2 6	.....	.....	173 0 1	14 0 0	27	..	27	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Manitobah	125	30 5 0	.....	.....	.....	1 8 3	24	..	24	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cohocksiuk	126	191 7 5	3 0 0	.....	.....	11 8 2	58	1	51	..	..	..	..	7	..	..
Mohican	127	240 5 6	.....	.....	34 1 3	14 4 4	36	..	31	1	..	..	..	5	..	..
Maconaquah	128	298 6 7	.....	.....	.....	17 9 2	33	..	27	..	..	..	..	6	..	..
Catoctin	129	26 9 6	.....	.....	.....	1 3 1	26	..	22	..	..	..	..	4	..	..
Minnequa	130	143 1 0	.....	.....	35 5 3	8 5 8	21	..	15	..	..	..	..	6	..	..
Sawqnehauna	131	144 0 0	.....	.....	57 1 0	5 9 5	16	..	16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nescopec	132	380 0 0	.....	.....	257 2 0	22 8 0	38	..	32	..	..	..	..	6	..	..
Wissinoming	133	29 6 0	.....	.....	28 6 0	.. 2 8	13	1	6	..	..	..	..	7	..	..
Leni Lenape D. C.	1	90 3 5	105 0 0	.....	51 1 0	5 4 2	38	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Algonquin D. C.	2	65 2 7	76 0 0	.....	133 5 0	3 7 0	25	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..
Pocahontas D. C.	3	79 1 5	33 0 0	.....	21 1 5	4 7 5	47	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
St. Tammany D. C.	4	182 5 0	.....	.....	92 6 9	10 9 5	60	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

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TRIBES.	NO.	SLEEP.	LOCATION.	PLACE OF MEETING.	CHIEF OF RECORDS.	POST OFFICE ADDRESS.
Tecumseh	1	Thursday	Norristown	....	Joel H. Weber	Norristown.
Metamora	2	Wednesday	Lancaster	Fulton Hall, Prince Street	Samuel M. Wetzel	Lancaster, East King St.
Leni Lenape	3	Friday	Philadelphia	Corner Second and Susquehanna Avenue	Isaac A. Davis	2051 Kressler Street.
Kuquenaku	4	Thursday	"	Third St. above Brown	Gotlieb Ubele	905 North Third Street.
Pocahontas	5	Thursday	"	N. W. cor. Fourth and Walnut Sts	Fr. Aug. Buchman	610 Hallowell Street.
Wyoming	7	Wednesday	"	" " "	Charles H. Lukens	401 Mifflin Street.
Shawnese	8	Friday	"	" " "	C. A. Winkworth	1237 Market Street.
Susquehanna	12	Friday	Harrisburg	No. 304 North Second Street	T. P. Montgomery	7 S. Third St., Harrisburg.
Perkiomen	13	Thursday	Phœnixville	Sons of Temperance Hall	Frederick B. Shunk	Phoenixville.
Mohawk	14	Friday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	John H. Passau	917 Thompson Street.
Pontiac	15	Wednesday	Pittsburg	No. 67 Fifth Avenue	Oswald Heckmann	Box 283.
Chattahoochee	17	Wednesday	Philadelphia	Assistance Hall, Sixth and Coates Sts	R. M. Trout	101 Walnut Street.
Pequod	18	Thursday	"	Mechanics' Hall, 6th and Germantown Av.	J. Knight	2207 North Fourth St.
Cherokee	19	Thursday	"	No. 1135 Parrish Street	Joseph P. Young	2317 Ridge Avenue.
Pawnee	20	Wednesday	"	S. E. cor. Tenth and Vine Sts	George Bertram	2130 Summer Street.
Eeshahkonee	22	Monday	Lancaster	Fulton Hall, Prince Street	Peter C. Hensel	E. King St., Lancaster.
Black Hawk	26	Tuesday	Philadelphia	Norris and Sepviva Streets	Henry Snyder	1225 Malborough Street.
Mohegan	27	Monday	"	N. W. cor. Eighth and Spring Garden Sts	E. F. Stewart	1308 Oxford Street.
Conestoga	28	Tuesday	Williamsport	Morse's Hall	James Allison	Williamsport, Box 325.
Tuscarora	29	Monday	Chester	Penn Building, cor. Third and Market Sts	Wm. Kelly	Chester, Del. Co. Box 253.
Seminole	30	Tuesday	Germantown	Temperance Hall, Mill St	Francis Rodbard	188 Haines Street.
Cayugas	31	Friday	Gettysburg	McConaughy's Hall	Wm. B. Meals	Gettysburg.
Wissahickon	32	Tuesday	Philadelphia	No. 1530 Ridge Avenue	John Gardner	1124 Parrish Street.
Wingohocking	33	Friday	Frankford	Odd Fellows' Hall	Henry G. Townsend	341 Margaret Street.
Winnebago	35	Tuesday	Altoona	Shannon's Hall	Daniel G. Weidel	Altoona, Box 189.
Conewago	37	Wednesday	York	Washington Hall	John Hays	York.
Sagoyewatha	38	Saturday	Philadelphia	Central Hall, Frankford Road and Master	George M. Brooke	1207 Savery Street.
Chiquesalungo	39	Tuesday	Columbia	Odd Fellows' Hall	B. F. Mullen	Columbia, Box 81.
Seneca	41	Thursday	Pottsville	Town Hall	Joseph C. Holt	Pottsville, Box 437.
Iroquois	42	Monday	Mifflintown	S. W. cor. Bridge and Water Sts	Ben F. Kepner	Mifflintown, Juniata Co.
Narraganset	43	Friday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	Jesse R. Wallan	Rear 228 Thompson St.
Red Jacket	44	Friday	Lancaster	Fulton Hall, Prince Street	Joseph Gerlach	Beaver Street.
Uppowoc	47	Tuesday	West Chester	S. W. cor Gay and High Sts	Norris T. Smith	Box 350, West Chester.
Powhatan	48	Thursday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	John C. Moore	952 Lawrence Street.
Coaquanock	49	Friday	"	Broadway Hall, Broad and Spring Garden	Wm. H. Pool	1421 Barclay Street.
Miquon	50	Wednesday	"	Odd Fellows' Hall, Ridge Avenue & 23d St.	Wm. G. Hollis	2208 Oxford Street.
Chippewa	51	Wednesday	"	S. W. cor. Tenth and South St	J. T. Akin	1015 Clement Street.
Camanchee	52	Monday	"	G. I. Eng. House, Allen ab. Frankford R'd.	Andrew J. Miles	1249 Palmer Street.
Washita	53	Saturday	Conshohocken	Stemple's Hall	John P. Armitage	Conshohocken, Box 47.
Wyandotte	54	Friday	Oxford	Third and Locust Streets	James Black	Oxford, Chester County.

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Wyalusing	56	Friday	Philadelphia	Odd Fellows' Hall, Falls of Schuylkill	Thomas Leask	Falls of Schuylkill.
Allegheny	57	Monday	Allegheny City	N. E. cor. East and First Sts	Christian Haag	41 Perry Street.
Allequippa	58	Friday	Pittsburg	No. 67 Fifth Avenue	O. Fulton	Pittsburg.
Otsego	59	Friday	Mount Joy	....	J. Gerhart Metzgar	Mount Joy.
Kickenapawling	60	Tuesday	Johnstown	Odd Fellows' Hall	Edward C. Thomas	Johnstown, Cambria.Co.
Cornplanter	61	Monday	Harrisburg	No. 304 North Second St	Conrad Miller	Cranberry Alley near 3d St.
Beaver	62	Tuesday	Norristown	Odd Fellows' Hall	Wm. Bate, Jr	Norristown.
Wawatam	63	Thursday	Roxborough	Odd Fellows' Hall	Walter J. Kent	Roxborough.
Ottowa	64	Saturday	Birmingham	Druid's Hall, corner Carson and McKee	Gustav Espy	Buchanan P. O., Box 295.
Kishacaquillas	65	Saturday	Conestoga C'r	....	Benj. F. Hookey	Conestoga C'r, Lanc. Co.
Kiskiminitas	66	Saturday	Johnstown	Odd Fellows' Hall	Henry Story	Johnstown, Box 218.
Ongpatonga	67	Friday	Lewistown	Dorcas and Water Streets	John Clarke	Lewistown.
Arrapahoe	68	Thursday	Huntingdon	Red Men's Hall	A. B. Flood	Huntingdon, Box 40.
Shohomokin	69	Thursday	Sunbury	....	Emanuel Wilvert	Sunbury.
Penobscot	70	Thursday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	Wm. W. Shepherd	925 Poplar Street.
Mattawana	71	Tuesday	McVeytown	....	Edmund Conrad	McVeytown.
Tonnaluka	72	Wednesday	Irwin Station	....	Philip Bussue	Irwin Station, W. Co.
Idaho	73	Wednesday	Philadelphia	Southwark Library Hall, 2d and German	Robert A. Shaw	127 Senate Street.
Juniata	74	Thursday	Reading	403 Penn Street	O. B. Keller	Reading.
Winona	75	Thursday	Pottstown	Market Hall	H. R. Bossert	Pottstown, Mont. Co.
Nevada	76	Wednesday	Philadelphia	Central Hall, Frankford Road and Master	Jesse Watson	2641 Frankford Road.
Mahoning	77	Thursday	Danville	Montgomery's Building, Mill St	Henry A. Kneibler	Danville, Box 416.
Codorus	78	Tuesday	York	Hartman's Building, Centre Square	Henry Schum	York.
Minnewa	79	Tuesday	Philadelphia	S. E. cor. Tenth and Vine Sts	G. W. Livars	218 Pembroke Place.
Swatara	80	Monday	N. Hamilton	....	Joseph B. Ewing	Newton Hamilton, M. C.
Tonnawanda	81	Wednesday	Media	Corner of State and Orange Streets	Jorell L. Kelley	Media, Box 113.
Miami	82	Tuesday	Cressona	....	Thomas L. Holt	Cressona.
Onondaga	83	Monday	Coatesville	Good Templars' Hall	L. H. Humphreys	Coatesville, Chester Co.
Saranac	84	Wednesday	Easton	N. E. cor. Centre Square	James D. Smith	Phillipsburg, N. J.
Tamany	85	Wednesday	Altoona	Shannon's Hall	George Bleiler	Altoona, Box 453.
Lenni	86	Thursday	Lima	....	S. H. Radford	Lima, Delaware Co.
Sioux	87	Wednesday	Philadelphia	Sixth and Christian Streets	John S. Boyle	227 Levant Street.
Kittatinny	88	Wednesday	Marysville	....	Milton Fleisher	Marysville.
Waunepewink	89	Monday	Shrewsbury	....	Geo. W. Folckemmer	Shrewsbury.
Kickapoo	90	Wednesday	Gordon	....	James M. Seitzinger	Gordon.
Octoraro	91	Tuesday	Harrisburg	No. 304 North Second Street	John R. Coekly	Harrisburg.
Wopwollopen	92	Wednesday	Berwick	Odd Fellows' Hall	Wm. M. Boyles	Berwick.
Conewingo	93	Friday	York	Washington Hall	Wm. O. Goodling	York, 118 South Queen St.
Honayawus	94	Tuesday	Bloomsburg	....	Richard Buchanan	Bloomsburg.
Otzinachson	95	Tuesday	Lock Haven	....	Wm. Letzkus	Lock Haven.

Juskakaka	96	Thursday	Duncannon	....	Phllip F. Michener	Duncannon.
Malaeska	97	Wednesday	Clarion	....	J. R. Haun	Clarion.
Alpharetta	98	Thursday	Millerstown	....	J. H. Sponsler	Millerstown.
Standing Stone	99	Tuesday	Mapleton	....	Albert M. Parker	Mapleton.
Yo Semite	100	Monday	Glen Rock	....	Wm. Boeckel	Glen Rock.
Uncas	101	Monday	Waynesboro	....	John B. Russell	Waynesboro'.
Bald Eagle	102	Thursday	Tyrone	....	James Haslett	Tyrone.
Youghiogheny	103	Wednesday	Birmingham	....	Robert D. Buck	Buchanan P. O.
Absaraka	104	Tuesday	Philadelphia	Corner Thirty-Seventh and Market Sts	Harry Fite	3710 Warren Street.
Navajo	105	Tuesday	Scranton	105 Lackawanna Avenue	George B. Canfield	Scranton.
Chingachqook	106	Monday	Mauch Chunk	Odd Fellows' Hall	Jacob Sandel	Mauch Chunk.
Saukie	107	Tuesday	Ashland	Corner Third and Centre Streets	John D. Bowen	Ashland.
Conodogwinit	108	Thursday	Carlisle	....	Saml. Kronenberger	Carlisle.
Red Warrior	109	Tuesday	Philipsburg	....	Sol. Schmidt	Philipsburg, Centre Co.
Lackawanna	110	Thursday	Plymouth	Odd Fellows' Hall	J. W. S. McDonald	Plymouth.
Minnehaha	111	Friday	Brookville	....	John McMurray	Brookville.
Nemocalling	112		Brownsville	Market Street	A. V. Smith	Brownsville.
Osage	113	Thursday	Philadelphia	Kater Hall, Fifteenth and South Sts	Samuel Elder	2052 Ellsworth Street.
Chickasaw	114	Monday	Charlestown	....	R. M. Little	Pickering P. O.
Itah	115	Friday	AlleghenyCity	161 Federal Street	R. H. Semple	38 Sedgwick Street.
Quoekelinik	116	Friday	Philadelphia	Twenty-Third and Wood Sts	Wm. W. James	2131 Evergreen Street.
Teedyuscung	117	Tuesday	Mount Bethel	....	E. C. Hess	Mount Bethel.
Manaiung	118	Friday	Manayunk,	A. M. Hall	Samuel Grow	309 Green Lane.
Wahoo	119	Tuesday	Kingston	....	W. C. Devonport	Kingston.
Kiowas	120	Monday	Hazelton	Hazle Hall	Wm. Kurtz	Hazleton.
Cattawissa	121	Monday	Catawissa	....	John Ervin	Cattawissa.
Opekasset	122	Wednesday	Reading	403 Penn Street	Jacob Scheufele	Reading.
Wampanoag	123	Friday	Audenried	....	Moses Owens	Audenried.
Mingo	124	Tuesday	Beavertown	....	W. H. Coleman	Beavertown.
Manitobah	125	Wednesday	Nazareth	....	J. H. Beck	Nazareth.
Cohocksink	126	Thursday	Philadelphia	Fifth and Thompson Streets	Isaac Goldbacher	808 Noble Street.
Mohican	127	Monday	Bristol	Corner of Mill and Pond Streets	Thos. B. Douglass	Bristol.
Maconaquah	128	Monday	Wilkesbarre	127 Market Street	F. D. Wert	Wilkesbarre.
Catoctin	129	Monday	Littlestown	Brant's Hall	A. H. Barker	Littlestown.
Minnequa	130	Thursday	Williamsport	Seventh Ward	George C. Sweeley	Box 1303.
Sawquehanna	131	Tuesday	Shippensburg	....	O. M. Blair	Shippensburg.
Nescopec	132	Wednesday	Laurel Run	....	David D. Jones	Wilkesbarre.
Wissinoming	133	Wednesday	Philadelphia	Pennsylvania Avenue and Coates St	James L. Thorne	513 North Twenty-Fifth St.
Yemassee	134	Monday	Ashland	....	Jeremiah Payne	Ashland.
Weccacoe	135	Friday	Philadelphia	Pine Street above Second	Daniel F. Hirtzell	16 Hudson Street.
Quittapahilla	136	Thursday	Lebanon	Odd Fellows' Hall	D. W. Miller	Lebanon.
Leni Lenape D.C.	1	2d & 4th Tu.	Philadelphia	S. W. cor. Tenth and Filbert Sts	Joseph W. Clymer	1022 Wharton Street.
Algonquin D. C.	2	2d & 4th Th.	York	Washington Hall	John Hays	York.
Pocahontas D. C.	3	1st Tuesday	Philadelphia	N. W. cor. Fourth and Walnut Sts	John H. Passau	917 Thompson Street.
St. Tammany D.C.	4	2d & 4th Th.	Lancaster	Fulton Hall	Samuel M. Wetzel	E. King Street.

DEPUTY GREAT SACHEMS.

Montgomery County,	Joel H. Weber,	No. 1
Dauphin and Cumberland,	John Shultz,	" 91
Chester,	Norris T. Smith,	" 47
Allegheny and Westmoreland,	G. J. S. John Rebman,	
Lyeoming and Clinton,	J. W. Whitman,	" 28
Delaware,	Charles R. Yarnall,	" 86
Adams and Franklin,	P. G. S. Samuel Weaver,	" 31
Blair and Centre,	John A. Boyer,	" 102
York,	John Hays,	" 37
Schuylkill,	M. J. Thomas,	" 82
Juniata, Mifflin, and Snyder,	John Clarke,	" 67
Cambria,	Edward C. Thomas,	" 60
Huntingdon,	J. Oliver Gipple,	" 68
Northumberland and Montour,	Wm. Aten,	" 77
Berks and Lebanon,	Thomas E. Weber,	" 74
Northampton,	Charles Rinker,	" 84
Columbia,	Wm. D. Fritz,	" 92
Perry,	John A. Shearer,	" 96
Clarion and Jefferson,	Samuel J. Fryer,	" 111
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G. S. D. 380.

IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

GREAT COUNCIL OF PENNSYLVANIA.

SPECIAL SESSION.

PHILADELPHIA, *3d Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D.* 380.

A special session of the Great Council of Pennsylvania was held on the above sleep, at Diligent Hall, S. W. corner of Tenth and Filbert Streets. Council fire kindled in due form. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

ADAM SCHUH—Great Sachem.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Senior Sagamore.
E. F. STEWART—Great Junior Sagamore, *pro tem.*
FRANK C. KNIPE—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
HENRY C. BALDWIN—Great Sannap.
J. W. CLYMER—Great Guard of Wigwam, *pro tem.*
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 4, 8, 14, 19, 26, 27, 30, 32, 33, 38, 43, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 56, 76, 79, 81, 104, 113, 116, 126, 133, D. C. 1.

The following call for the session was read:—

ADAM SCHUH, *G. S.*

Please call a special session of the Great Council of Pennsylvania, on Tuesday, 3d sun of Cold Moon, G. S. D. 380, for the purpose of taking action relative to the insubordination of Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33.

(Signed—John C. Adams, H. Walker, No. 49, Andrew J. Funk, No. 70, George A. Aldridge, No. 45, John C. Moore, No. 48, Albert B. Bishop,

William Anderson, No. 51, Job T. Williams, No. 79, George W. Crouch, Thos. K. Donnalley, No. 18, Gottlieb Ubele, No. 4, F. F. Snyder, No. 19, M. H. Gorham, No. 17, George K. Rambo, No. 3, M. J. Weaver, No. 22, Beverly Copes, J. M. Williams, No. 7.)

ANDREW J. BAKER, *G. C. of R.*

You are hereby directed to call a special session of the Great Council of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the above request.

ADAM SCHUH, *G. S.*

On motion of P. S. Goldberg, the call was approved.

Great Sachem presented the following report and charge, which were read:—

PHILADELPHIA, 3d Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: It is with extreme sorrow and regret that I am compelled to bring to your notice the unlawful and defiant conduct and insubordination of one of the Tribes in this jurisdiction.

On the 7th sun of Travelling Moon, G. S. D. 379, a communication was received from the Great Council of the United States, commanding the Great Council of Pennsylvania to direct Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, to reinstate P. S. John W. Herbert "immediately."

A duly attested copy of the same was sent to Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33.

P. S. John W. Herbert subsequently presented himself at a regular council of the Tribe, and was excluded from the wigwam.

On the 19th of Beaver Moon he informed the Great Chiefs of the refusal of the said Wingohoeking Tribe, No. 33, to obey the command of the Great Council of the United States.

On the 24th of Beaver Moon I sent a communication by the G. S. S., G. P., G. C. of R., and G. K. of W., which was read by them to the Tribe at their council on the 25th, directing and requesting the said Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, to obey the command of the Great Council of the United States. Each of the Great Chiefs earnestly entreated the Tribe to respect and obey the constitutional authority and commands of the Order. The Tribe, by nearly a unanimous vote, refused to obey this command.

My attention had also been called to a disrespectful circular sent out by the said Wingohoeking Tribe, No. 33, refusing therein to obey the command of the Great Council of the United States, and containing gross misstatements of facts and of laws, calculated to mislead many of the Tribes, and inviting them to sustain the said Tribe in their illegal and insubordinate conduct.

Receiving information of the action of the Tribe on my communication of the 24th of Beaver Moon, on the 8th of Hunting Moon I immediately

prepared another communication, solemnly warning the Tribe of their offence, in accordance with Clause IV, Sec. 1, Article XX, of the By-Laws of the Great Council of Pennsylvania, and again therein requested them to obey the command of the Great Council of the United States, and of the Great Sachem of this State; and also commanding and directing them to repeal or rescind the resolutions and withdraw the improper circular sent out by them. This communication was presented by the G. S. S. and G. K. of W. on the 9th of Hunting Moon, at a regular council of the said Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33. Having been read to the Tribe, they requested that two seven suns be allowed them for consideration, which was acceded to. Subsequently I received an invitation to be present at their council on which they would consider my communication. I accepted the invitation, and accompanied by the G. S. S., G. C. of R., and G. K. of W., attended their council on the 23d of Hunting Moon, when I again requested the Tribe to heed my solemn warning and obey my lawful commands. The Tribe, by nearly a unanimous vote, resolved to adhere to their determination to disobey my commands, as well as the command of the Great Council of the United States.

Chiefs and brothers, I have endeavored in a firm but courteous and conciliatory manner to induce and urge on this Tribe a compliance with their obligations and duty to the Order, and obedience to the lawful commands of the constitutional authorities thereof; and having exhausted all the authority and power with which I am invested by the Constitution and Laws of the Order, I am compelled by a sense of duty to my obligations and to the Order to prefer the following charges against Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, believing that prompt action will best maintain the authority of the Order and cause a due respect to all its lawful commands.

Very respectfully yours, in F. F. and C.

ADAM SCHUH, *G. S.*

CHARGES.

I hereby charge Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, with improper conduct, in refusing to obey the lawful commands of the Great Sachem, and also in sending forth a circular insubordinate to and defiant of the commands and authority of the Great Council of the United States, and intended to create insubordination in and among the Tribes in this jurisdiction, by appealing to and inviting them to sustain the said Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, in their insubordinate and defiant conduct.

ADAM SCHUH, *G. S.*

On motion, they were received and referred to a committee.

The G. S. S. appointed the following: P. S.'s Weidley, No. 32, Wobensmith, No. 116, and Senneff, No. 51.

The Council fire was quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

REGULAR SESSION.

PHILADELPHIA, 17*th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D.* 380.

The Great Council of Pennsylvania, Improved Order of Red Men, assembled in regular session, at Pocahontas Wigwam, N. W. corner of Fourth and Walnut Strects. Council fire kindled in ample form, at the 10th run rising of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

ADAM SCHUH—Great Sachem.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Junior Sagamore.
FRANK C. KNIPE—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
HENRY C. BALDWIN—Great Sannap.
GEORGE METZEL—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

Certificates of the following Representatives read, and on motion they were duly acknowledged:—

Geo. W. Kreamer,	No. 45	John D. Colvin,	No. 132
James H. Patton,	" 67	H. T. Bibighaus,	" 136
George F. Lidy,	" 101	Benjamin Franklin,	" 138
C. Ellis,	" 121	Jacob B. Weber,	" 139
J. E. Valentine,	" 128		

Roll of Representatives of Tribes called, and the following were present:—

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 14, 17, 18, 19, 20, 26, 27, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 37, 39, 43, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54, 56, 58, 61, 64, 68, 73, 75, 76, 77, 79, 82, 83, 84, 86, 90, 93, 96, 102, 104, 105, 106, 108, 109, 113, 116, 119, 126, 133, 139, D. C. 1, 2.

Credentials of Past Sachems read, and the following were duly admitted:—

George Carnell,	No.	3	James Harrison,	No.	53
S. G. Cox,	"	4	Samuel Stout,	"	63
John W. Cook,	"	19	John A. Paff,	"	63
George H. Cook,	"	30	James H. Patton,	"	67
Chris. Robinson,	"	33	Ezra H. Hazzard,	"	87
Clayton Woodington,	"	33	John E. Buckley,	"	104
James Lord,	"	33	D. E. Frantz,	"	110
John T. Ash,	"	38	John Laird,	"	113
Wm. Lecompt,	"	38	James Tait,	"	116
M. V. B. Hutchinson,	"	43	C. Ellis,	"	121
George W. Kreamer,	"	45	Trubert Ortleib,	"	126
Jacob H. Darlington,	"	47	J. E. Valentine,	"	128
Abner M. Eachus,	"	47	J. Burr Reddig,	"	131
Robert Smith,	"	49	John D. Colvin,	"	132
Charles L. Morgan,	"	50	John Behrens,	"	135
Washington Hansbury,	"	50	Benjamin Franklin,	"	138
Matthew Mason,	"	51	F. T. Webster, D. C.	"	1

Credentials of the following Past Sachems presented, and found correct:—

Levi J. Landis,	No.	1	E. R. Fichthorn,	No.	70
Phillip Schadt,	"	2	Albert H. Bortel,	"	71
Wm. H. Jennings,	"	7	Lewis Eisaman,	"	72
James McCormack,	"	8	Augustus Arms,	"	77
Samuel Mat. Friday,	"	12	Philip Baustlicher,	"	78
J. Wm. Batt,	"	13	Wm. Batty,	"	79
John Levergood,	"	22	Richard Toomes,	"	81
Walker Burkeitt,	"	27	James Dewey,	"	84
Scott Rook,	"	28	Job T. Bonsell,	"	86
George Burns,	"	33	Jacob Heck,	"	88
John Meeune,	"	35	A. R. Novinger,	"	90
Jacob Dick,	"	37	A. B. Manley,	"	91
John Goetz,	"	44	Wm. C. Barnes,	"	92
Adam Moyer,	"	48	Andrew Weigle,	"	93
James Shade,	"	52	A. G. Manville,	"	97
Allen W. Kirk,	"	53	Wm. A. Hanstine,	"	101
George McFadden,	"	54	David Shepherd,	"	103
Thomas McCormak,	"	54	John T. Howe,	"	105
Wm. Watson,	"	56	Andrew Elliott,	"	106
Theo. Moeller,	"	57	David Macdonald,	"	110
Christ Kunkle,	"	60	Jacob F. Ranb,	"	117
Joseph Burkhardt,	"	61	Wilson Rex,	"	118
Joseph Newngesser,	"	62	Herman Kutscher,	"	122
Justus Henk,	"	64	Richard Hopkins,	"	123
Jacob Bitts,	"	65	C. E. Michael,	"	125
Joseph H. Alter,	"	67	Goswin Keiper,	"	140
L. B. Kline,	"	68	S. M. Wetzel, D. C.	"	4

G. C. of R. proceeded to read the record of last session, when, on motion of Rep. Eckert, the further reading was dispensed with, and the record adopted as printed.

Records of special session (3d of Cold Moon) read, and on motion of G. P. Knipe adopted.

Great Sachem read the following report:—

GREAT SACHEM'S REPORT.

PHILADELPHIA, 17th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND REPRESENTATIVES: Six moons have passed away, and we are again assembled in regular session to legislate for the welfare of our beloved Order; and in rendering to you an account of my stewardship, you so generously confided to me, it affords me unfeigned gratification in being able to inform you that the Order still continues in a highly prosperous condition everywhere throughout this vast jurisdiction. For all these many blessings which have been vouchsafed to our Order, and for those individually received, should we not one and all return our most heartfelt thanks to the Giver of every good and perfect gift for his mercies and his loving kindness towards us. Truly has it been said the Lord is good to all, and his tender mercies are over all his works.

INSTITUTION OF TRIBES.

YEMASSEE TRIBE, No. 134, Ashland, Schuylkill County. The Great Council having at its last session granted a charter for this Tribe, they were duly instituted on the 15th of Sturgeon Moon, by the G. C. of R. and G. G. of F. assisted by P. S.'s James and Rasbridge of No. 90, and John Phillips of No. 107, and a number of members of Nos. 82, 90, and 107, and the following chiefs duly raised up: Reese T. Davis, Sachem; James Bateman, S. S.; John Lynch, J. S.; Jeremiah Payne, C. of R.; Jabez Payne, K. of W.; Thomas Rasbridge, Prophet.

MIANTONOMO TRIBE, No. 45, Philadelphia. On the 14th of Travelling Moon, a petition was received signed by six of the former members, three brothers and thirty-one pale faces, asking for the restoration of the charter of said Tribe. A dispensation was granted and the Tribe reinstituted on the 18th by the Great Chiefs, assisted by a large number of members of the Order. The following chiefs were raised up: George W. Kreamer, Sachem: John S. Steel, S. S.; Ambrose F. Knipe, J. S.; Isaac Bedichiemer, C. of R.; Edward S. Deemer, K. of W.; P. S. Henry S. Strunk, Prophet.

Petitions in proper form have been received, and after due consideration by the Great Chiefs, dispensations have been issued for the following Tribes:—

Weccacoe Tribe, No. 135, Philadelphia (German); petition signed by six brothers and forty-three pale faces; received 30th of Buck Moon; instituted by the Great Chiefs the 4th of Sturgeon Moon. Chiefs: John Behrens, Sachem; Theodore Lau, S. S.; August Guessell, J. S.; Daniel F. Hirtzell, C. of R.; Florian Leisehewsky, K. of W.; John Schweigert, P.

Quittapahilla Tribe, No. 136, Lebanon; petition signed by twenty-nine pale faces; received 2d of Sturgeon Moon; instituted on the 11th by the G. C. of R., G. G. of F., and D. G. S. Thomas E. Weber, assisted by P. S.'s McNall of No. 41, Berger of No. 122, and a number of members of Nos. 74 and 122. Chiefs: H. T. Bibighaus, Sachem; E. M. Ebur, S. S.; Wm. Atkins, J. S.; D. W. Miller, C. of R.; L. E. Wimer, K. of W.; Selim S. Thomas, Prophet.

Venango Tribe, No, 137, Oil City; petition signed by twenty pale faces; received 15th of Sturgeon Moon; instituted 25th by the G. J. S., P. S.'s Heckman of No. 15, and Scott of No. 58, assisted by P. S. W. H. R. Kelty of Chippewa Tribe, No. 19, of Maryland. Chiefs: Isaac J. Wagner, Sachem; D. M. Zook, S. S.; D. C. Chisley, J. S.; David James, C. of R.; J. K. Lowry, K. of W.; Francis F. Herr, Prophet.

Shakahappo Tribe, No. 138, Frankford (Philadelphia City); petition signed by eleven brothers and thirty-nine pale faces; received 20th of Sturgeon Moon; instituted 31st by the Great Chiefs, assisted by a number of P. S.'s and members of No. 33. Chiefs: Benjamin Franklin, Sachem; Samuel Wilson, S, S.; Washington Buckley, J. S.; Milton Frederick, C. of R.; Robert Adams, K. of W.; P. S. John Cocker, Prophet.

Passyunk Tribe, No. 139, Philadelphia; petition signed by eighteen brothers and sixty-seven pale faces; received 29th of Sturgeon Moon; instituted 17th of Corn Moon by the Great Chiefs, assisted by a large number of members of Nos. 7, 27, and other Tribes. Chiefs: P. S. Jacob B. Weber, Sachem; Samuel L. Langham, S. S.; John Barnholtz, J. S.; Latimer B. Bisbee, C. of R.; Samuel Goodwin, K. of W.; George W. Crozier, Prophet.

Nay Aug Tribe, No. 140, Scranton (German); petition signed by two brothers and twenty-four pale faces; received 21st of Corn Moon; instituted 3d of Travelling Moon by myself, D. G. S. Gregory, P. S.'s Bisbing of No. 7 and Naylor of No. 87, assisted by a number of members of No. 105. Chiefs: Gosswin Keiper, Sachem; Leopold Schimpf, S. S.; Charles Erhard, J. S.; Charles D. Neuffer, C. of R.; Wm. Puhl; K. of W.; Theo. Hessinger, Prophet.

Panooka Tribe, No. 141, Scranton; petition signed by six brothers and thirty-two pale faces; received 19th of Beaver Moon; instituted 28th by D. G. S. Gregory and P. S. Bisbing of No. 7, assisted by members of Nos. 105 and 140. Chiefs: Lewis Hancock, Sachem; E. B. Miller, S. S.; W. R. Williams, J. S.; Thomas Lowry, C. of R.; D. C. Williams, K. of W.

Accomac Tribe, No. 142, Belle Vernon, Fayette County; petition signed by eight brothers and sixteen pale faces; received 3d of Hunting Moon; instituted 3d of Cold Moon by the G. J. S. and P. S. Scott, No. 58.

Chiefs: John H. Reitz, Sachem; J. E. Hixenbaugh, S. S.; J. W. Bane, J. S.; J. Reeves, C. of R.; James Lewis, K. of W.; H. Clegg, Prophet.

Monongahela Tribe, No. 143, Dravosburg, Allegheny County; petition signed by twenty-nine pale faces; received 16th of Hunting Moon; instituted 2d of Cold Moon by the G. J. S. and P. S.'s Heckman of No. 15, Scott of No. 58, Wilhelm of No. 64, and Weil of No. 103. Chiefs: Fred. Schaum, Sachem; Cyrus Swain, S. S.; Andrew McAllister, J. S.; A. B. McAllister, C. of R.; Wm. Spittal, K. of W.; James E. Cook, Prophet.

DISPENSATIONS.

On the 26th of Flower Moon to Red Warrior Tribe, No. 109, to parade in regalia for the purpose of participating in the laying of the corner stone of the Baptist Church on the 24th of Buck Moon.

On the 3d of Sturgeon Moon to Swatara Tribe, No. 80, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother John Presler. Fee, one fathom, paid.

On the 23d of Sturgeon Moon I received a communication from Iroquois Tribe, No. 42, asking for a dispensation to suspend the payment of seven suns benefits; having furnished a statement of the condition of their wampum belt, and complied with the requirements of the Constitution, and for the security and continuance of the Tribe, I granted the dispensation, to take effect from the above date, and to terminate on the 1st sun of the Plant Moon, G. S. D. 380.

Since granting this dispensation the Tribe has met with a most unfortunate calamity. On the sleep of the 31st of Hunting Moon, a very disastrous conflagration occurred, by which their wigwam and nearly all their property was destroyed, together with nearly half of the town, and including the property of several of the brothers. Their wigwam was one of the most appropriately and handsomely furnished in the jurisdiction, and contained, in addition to the necessary furniture, &c., a large collection of preserved animals, birds, minerals, &c. A communication has been received from them in reference to a duplicate charter to replace the one destroyed. I would recommend that it be issued to them without charge, and also that the tax due the Great Council be remitted.

Dispensations have been granted to Nos. 44, 59, and 88, to hold Balls in the name of their Tribes. Fees received therefor, nine fathoms.

On the 22d of Sturgeon Moon to Conodogwinet Tribe, No. 108, Carlisle, to remove their wigwam to Volunteer Hall, third story, East Market Square.

On the 6th of Corn Moon to Eeshahkonee Tribe, No. 22, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother Martin Larrentz. Fee, one fathom, paid.

On the 27th of Travelling Moon to Eeshahkonee Tribe, No. 22, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother B. F. Cox. Fee, one fathom, paid.

On the 9th of Hunting Moon to Red Jacket Tribe, No. 44, to confer the Chief's degree on brother Adam Reinhold. Fee, five feet, paid.

On the 24th of Hunting Moon to Uncas Tribe, No. 101, to appear in regalia at a Festival on the 26th.

On the 26th of Beaver Moon to Sawquehanna Tribe, No. 131, to change their Council sleep from Tuesday to Thursday, and also on the 3d of Hunting Moon, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees on brother James A. Fegely, to make him eligible to the stump of Chief of Records. Fee, one fathom, paid.

On the 21st of Beaver Moon I received a communication from Kishacaquillas Tribe, No. 65, asking for a dispensation to suspend the payment of benefits for six moons. In explanation, I would state that a dispensation for one great sun was asked of my predecessor, but for reasons assigned was only granted for six moons. The dispensation was granted.

APPEALS AND DECISIONS.

On the 5th of Sturgeon Moon I received a letter from Tcedyuscuug Tribe, No. 117, in relation to balloting for pale faces. I referred them to Article XIII, Section 6, of the Constitution.

On the 10th of Sturgeon Moon I received a communication from the C. of R. of Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, asking the following question: "Has the Tribe the right to receive money as dues from a member suspended for improper conduct. The case is that of John W. Herbert, who was suspended for appropriating the funds of the Tribe. Have I the right to charge and collect dues from him during his suspension?" To which the following answer was returned: "The Tribe has no right to receive dues from a suspended member until the expiration of the time for which he was suspended."

On the 2d of Corn Moon I received a communication from Mohican Tribe, No. 127, asking the question, "Can an *alien* be adopted into the Order?" The definition of the word being an unnaturalized foreigner, I referred the Tribe to Art. VI, Sec. 1, Constitution of the G. C. of U. S., which does not prohibit an alien being adopted, provided he is otherwise qualified in accordance with the laws of the Order.

On the 23d of Corn Moon I received a letter from Chiquesalungo Tribe, No. 39, asking a dispensation to reconsider a vote taken by the Tribe donating to the widow of the late Charles Ginder the sum of fifty fathoms. My answer was, that it did not require a dispensation, as the Tribe had the right to reconsider its action at the next council unless the matter has gone beyond their control.

On the 16th of Beaver Moon I received from Red Jacket Tribe, No. 44, the following question: "Has a Tribe the right to appoint a committee to inquire into the expedieney of amending the By-Laws after the same was rejected?" My answer was, that in all cases involving the interest of the Tribe they have the right to appoint a committee.

On the 26th of Corn Moon I received a communication from Idaho Tribe, No. 73, setting forth that G. W. Robinson, who was suspended by the Tribe, and reinstated at the last session of the Great Couucil, was, at

the time of his suspension, chairman of the Board of Trustees, and wished to know whether the restoration entitled him to the position he occupied before his suspension. My answer was, that the action of the Great Council restored brother Robinson to the position he occupied before he was suspended, for the reason that he was deprived of the position by the illegal action of the Tribe in suspending him.

On the 28th of Corn Moon a communication was received from Idaho Tribe, No. 73, stating that they had complied with the command of the Great Council by reinstating brothers Robinson and Barrington.

On the 19th of Beaver Moon I received a communication from Lenni Tribe, No. 86, asking whether a Tribe is required to pay three fathoms for a dispensation to appear in public in regalia: they having been charged three fathoms for holding a Bible presentation, and at a subsequent time, three fathoms for holding a Woods meeting in a grove near the wigwam. I replied, that it had been decided by the Great Council that a Tribe should not pay for a dispensation unless the entertainment is used as a means of pecuniary gain, or where tickets are sold and a revenue expected for the use and benefit of the Tribe; and in all cases, where entertainments are gotten up with a view to make money, the fee must be paid.

On the 26th of Hunting Moon I received a communication from Red Warrior Tribe, No. 109, asking whether an elective chief must resign his stump before he can be elected to a higher office, made vacant by resignation?

My answer was he must not, nor is it required of him to do so for the purpose of running for a higher position, for the simple reason that an election of a chief to a higher position vacates his stump.

REPORT OF BOARD OF APPEALS.

On the 9th of Corn Moon the Board of Appeals reported in the case of Beam *vs.* Winnebago Tribe, No. 35, sustaining the action of the Tribe and dismissing the appeal.

On the 23d of Corn Moon they reported in the case of Weaver *vs.* Codorus Tribe, No. 78, the following resolution:—

"*Resolved*, That Codorus Tribe, No. 78, be directed to restore brother Weaver to full membership."

On the 20th of Corn Moon they reported in the case of Wimmell *vs.* Nevada Tribe, No. 76, sustaining the appeal with the following resolutions:—

"*Resolved*, That the case of brother Wimmell, in behalf of the widow of the late brother Taylor, in refusing to pay the funeral benefit be reversed, as said action was in contravention of Article XI of their By-Laws."

"*Resolved*, That Nevada Tribe, No. 76, be directed to pay to the widow of the late brother Taylor the funeral benefits prescribed by the By-Laws of the Tribe."

The reports having been duly considered by the Great Chiefs, were approved by them. and notice thereof sent these Tribes.

On the 23d of Hunting Moon I received a letter from Nevada Tribe, No. 76, stating that they intend appealing from the decision of the Board of Appeals, and in accordance with Article XXII of the By-Laws have placed in my hands seventy-five fathoms until the appeal has been finally decided.

On the 6th of Cold Moon the Tribe filed with me a statement of their reasons which is herewith submitted.

MISCELLANEOUS.

On the 29th of Sturgeon Moon I received a statement from the Great Chief of Records, stating that in making up his report to the Great Council of the United States the reports of the Tribes in this jurisdiction show that the number of members therein, entitled the Great Council to an additional Representative in the Great Council of the United States; whereupon a certificate was drawn in accordance with Article II, Sec. 4, Constitution of the G. C. of U. S., and P. G. S. Morris H. Gorham was appointed to fill said vacancy.

On the 24th of Beaver Moon, at the invitation of the Tribes in Reading, I visited them, in company with P. G. S. M. J. Weaver, and found both the Tribes active and prosperous. I have also visited the Tribes in the vicinity of my wigwam, and they are all increasing in membership and usefulness.

On the 7th of Travelling Moon notice was received from the Great Council of the United States, informing us of the action of that body in the case of the appeal of brother John W. Herbert. The refusal of Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, to respect and obey the decision thereon has been communicated in a report made at the special session on the 3d instant, and charges have been preferred against the Tribe. It is unnecessary to say anything further at this time; but we hope that this Great Council will in a decided manner express its determination to maintain and enforce its authority, and cause a due respect to all lawful commands.

On the 2d of Beaver Moon notice was received from the Great Council of the United States, informing me of their action in the appeal of Allegheny Tribe, No. 57, from the decision of this Great Council. Due notice of the same was at once sent to Allegheny Tribe. The whole circumstances in relation to this case were unknown to the Great Council at the time its decision was made, caused by the inattention or negligence of of their C. of R., who failed to send a full report or transcript from their records. The Tribe supposing that all the requirements of the law were fulfilled, very naturally felt indignant at having their action reversed, for the reasons stated by the Board of Appeals in their report. On a full and fair explanation being made to the Tribe, they promptly obeyed the command, and reinstated Eichenmuller to membership. The action of Allegheny Tribe in obeying and respecting the commands of the Great Council

of the United States and this Great Council, entitles them to the respect and commendation of every true Red Man, and should be a shining example to all who are inclined to follow the "wrong path."

I would take occasion to state to the Great Council that the Great Sachem has experienced some difficulty in those Tribes whose proceedings have been reversed in consequence of informality in not complying with the law. From the fact that the Tribe has proceeded illegal, is no reason that the ends of justice should be defeated. In my opinion the course is entirely wrong, and would recommend that all cases of informality in the future be referred back to the Tribes, with instructions to proceed legally.

I would also recommend to the Tribes, particularly those in the city of Philadelphia, the encouragement and support of the Degree Councils there established. It is evident that the degrees are more correctly conferred by them, from the fact that they are supplied with all the necessary paraphernalia and the whole attention of their chiefs are devoted to that part of the work; they also relieve the chiefs and members of the Tribes of a great deal of labor, and allow them to quench their council fires at a seasonable time. There might be other good reasons assigned for their support; but I hope that the attention of the Tribes will be directed to to this subject, and they will comprehend the benefits to them in helping to sustain and strengthen the Degree Councils.

I would state in behalf of the German Tribes, of which I have the honor of being a member, that they have been laboring under a gross neglect by not receiving the German Proceedings in proper time. They are often delayed until near the close of the term, not by any fault of the Great Chief of Records, but for the want of timely translation; which could be very easily accomplished by prompt payment being made for the work when completed. I hope that the Great Council will take such measures as will avoid unnecessary delay in the future.

I would also recommend to the Great Council, in consideration of the condition of the Wampum Belt, that economy be used in all our expenditures; let there be no unnecessary appropriation for any purpose, and no more expended than is necessary for the actual expenses of the Great Council.

Reports have been received from the several Deputies, and returns made of the fees received. They report the Tribes in a healthy condition.

And in conclusion, permit me to return to one and all my sincere thanks for the high honor conferred upon me; and also for the uniform kindness of all the Great Chiefs, and the respect with which I have been received in my intercourse with the Tribes and members, and for your kind indulgence with my many imperfections in the performance of the duties of my office. I may not have given satisfaction to all, and indeed it would be wonderful if such were the case; but I assure you, brethren, that all my actions were intended for the welfare and prosperity of the Order.

Fraternally submitted,

ADAM SCHUH, *G. S.*

PHILADELPHIA, 17th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 380.

ADAM SCHUH, *G. S.*

RESPECTED CHIEF: Having been appointed by you D. G. S. for this District I submit the following as my official report for the past six moons, which I trust may meet the approval of yourself and our brother Great Chiefs and members of the Great Council.

I would also state that the Tribes in this jurisdiction are in a healthy and prosperous condition, and the good work is being nobly pushed forward in behalf of the grand principles of our beloved Order—Freedom, Friendship, and Charity.

DISPENSATIONS.

I have granted dispensations to the following Tribes to confer degrees:—

Pocahontas Tribe, No. 5, to adopt and exalt to the Chief's degree, John Behrens, Theo. Lau, August Guessell, Daniel F. Hirtzel, Florian Leischewsky, and John Sweigert.

Powhatan Tribe, No. 48, Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother W. H. Smith.

Mohegan Tribe, No. 27, Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brothers A. H. Raven and H. H. Keenan.

Penobscot Tribe, No. 70, Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother George W. Kreamer.

Shawnese Tribe, No. 8, Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother Daniel Parker.

Idaho Tribe, No. 73, Chief's degree upon brother W. F. Lodge.

Wyoming Tribe, No. 7, Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother Lewis Hancock.

Sioux Tribe, No. 87, Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother Harry Standley.

Wissinoming Tribe, No. 133, Chief's degree upon brother Chas. Klein.

Miantonomo Tribe, No. 45, Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother Benjamin Dare.

(Total amount of wampum received twenty-one fathoms five feet.)

I have also granted dispensations to the following Tribes to give Balls and Festivals: Nevada Tribe, No. 76, Absaraka Tribe, No. 104, Chippewa Tribe, No. 51, Idaho Tribe, No. 73, Cherokee Tribe, No. 19, Coaquanock Tribe, No. 49, and Pocahontas Tribe, No. 5.

(Amount of wampum received twenty-one fathoms.)

I have also granted dispensations to the following Tribes to remove and change their sleep of kindling council fire: Leni Lenape Tribe, No. 3, from Tenth and Vine to Second and Susquehanna Avenue; Quœkelinik Tribe, No. 116, from Wood Street near Twenty-Third to Twentieth Street between Carlton and Wood, and to change their sleep from Friday to Wednesday; Passyunk Tribe, No. 139, to change their sleep from Saturday to Friday; Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, to change their sleep from Tuesday to Friday, and move from Tenth and Vine to 605 Arch Street.

I also granted a dispensation to Idaho Tribe, No. 73, to wear regalia at their anniversary, on 31st Sturgeon Moon. (Returned three fathoms of wampum which they sent, no fee being required.)

On the 27th of Hunting Moon I granted a dispensation to Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, to suspend benefits for six moons from 20th sun.

VISITATIONS.

In company with the Great Chiefs and several Past Sachems I have visited during the six moons a number of Tribes, and find them prospering and working in accordance with our laws.

DECISIONS.

I received from brother George W. Robinson of Idaho Tribe, No. 73, an appeal in reference to his reinstatement as Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Tribe. In company with the Great Chiefs, we paid the Tribe a visit, and after some explanations the Tribe cheerfully acquiesced in his reinstatement to the position.

On the 10th of Hunting Moon I received the following communication from the C. of R. of Miquon Tribe, No. 50.

PHILADELPHIA, 10th Sun, Hunting Moon, G. S. D. 379.

JAMES A. MOSS, *D. G. S.*

RESPECTED CHIEF: By a resolution of Miquon Tribe, No. 50, I am directed to ask your official opinion as to whether the Prophet of a Tribe is recognized as an officer and chief thereof, and also whether he is liable to fines for absence, and neglect or refusal to discharge the duties pertaining to his position. Article XVIII, Section 11, of the By-Laws of the Tribe says, "Any chief or member neglecting any duty enjoined on him by this Tribe, or the laws and usage of the Order, and for which no penalty is specified, shall be fined six inches."

I would also ask whether a Tribe can kindle or quench its council fire in the absence of a qualified Past Sachem, in regular form?

Your early answer is respectfully requested.

Yours truly, in F. F. and C.

WM. G. HOLLIS, *C of R.*

On the 14th of Hunting Moon I wrote them in answer, that the Prophet is a chief; and according to Article XVIII, Section 11, of the By-Laws, he was finable. The ceremony of raising up the chiefs expressly enjoins upon the retiring Sachem the performance of the duties of Prophet for the ensuing term. It is also a decision of P. G. I. Maris. In answer to your question, "whether a Tribe can kindle or quench its council fire in the absence of a qualified Past Sachem in regular form?" I would say, that if no qualified Past Sachem is present, a member of the Chief's degree could assume the position.

Truly yours, in F. F. and C.

JAMES A. MOSS, *D. G. S.*

On the 10th of Hunting Moon, I received the following communication from Wyalusing Tribe, No. 56:—

JAMES A. MOSS, *D. G. S.*

RESPECTED CHIEF: At a regular stated council of Wyalusing Tribe, No. 56, held the 2d of Hunting Moon, G. S. D. 379, it was decided to ask for advice on the following: On the 7th sun of Travelling Moon a pale face was twigged for and declared by the Sachem duly elected. After he was elected it came to the knowledge of the elective chiefs that the brother was subject to the asthma; but is not at present suffering from this complaint. When the chiefs stated so to the Tribe the Sachem, on motion, appointed a committee of three to see if the pale face was fit to become a Red Man. The committee so appointed have reported that all they can find out is that he had been asthmatical. They have not tendered their final report yet; the pale face is doctoring for a severe sprain on his arm. If the second committee so appointed report unfavorable what action can be taken by the Tribe—can the pale face be twigged for over again? If the pale face was to present himself for adoption and answer the questions could this Tribe refuse to adopt him?

Yours in F. F. and C.

THOMAS LEASK, *C. of R.*

On the 16th of Hunting Moon, I answered them as follows:—

In answer to your communication under date of 2d sun, received on the 10th, I would refer you to the decision of P. G. S. Knipe, in answer to the following communication from Tuscarora Tribe, No. 29:—

"Two seven suns ago a pale face was proposed, which proposition was referred to a committee. At the next council sleep the committee reported favorable, when the report was accepted, committee discharged, and pale face balloted for and elected; but during the last seven suns the Tribe has come in possession of information that the pale face is not worthy to become a Red Man. Have we the right to reconsider the vote which elected him and have another ballot, or are we bound to adopt him in our Tribe?"

G. S. Knipe's answer was that you defer adopting the pale face, appoint a committee, and investigate the charges. If found correct against him, act accordingly. (See p. 217 Proceedings G. C., Session 377.)

Hoping the above may prove satisfactory, and that the Great Spirit may bless your Tribe with prosperity, I am truly yours, in F. F. and C.

JAMES A. MOSS, *D. G. S.*

N. B.—See Proceedings of same session (p. 233), where the Committee on Law and Usage reported, they find the decision to be in accordance with the law and usage of the Order; which was adopted.

Hoping my report may prove satisfactory, I remain fraternally yours, in F. F. and C.

JAMES A. MOSS, *G. S. S.*
D. G. S. for Philadelphia County.

The following report was presented and read:—

PHILADELPHIA, 17th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The undersigned Great Chiefs respectfully report that in accordance with instructions from the Great Council they endeavored to obtain a larger wigwam for this session; but were unable to obtain a convenient and suitable one without paying a much higher rent than we believed the condition of the wampum belt would justify, or would be satisfactory to the Great Council.

Very respectfully yours,

JAMES A. MOSS, *G. S. S.*
FRANK C. KNIPE, *G. P.*
ANDREW J. BAKER, *G. C. of R.*
LEWIS C. PIERCE, *G. K. of W.*

P. G. S. Conley moved that the report be received and their action sanctioned, which was adopted.

In the absence of the Committee on State of the Order the Great Sachem appointed Rep. Smith, No. 20, Swain, No. 76, Winkworth, No. 8; and to fill vacancies in the Finance Committee, Rep. Brown, No. 2, Taylor, No. 79.

Rep. Zeigler presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the sessions of this Great Council commence at the 10th run rising of the sun and at the 2d run setting of the sun, and close respectively at the 12th run high sun and the 6th run setting of the sun.

Petitions for the restoration of the charter to Miantonomo Tribe, No. 45, and charters for Tribes and Degree Council, were read, and referred to Rep. Zeigler, No. 37, Gregory, No. 105, McGinnis, No. 39.

A communication from Mohican Tribe, No. 127, was read, requesting the Great Council to confer the rank of Past Sachem upon one of their members, and on motion it was referred to the Committee on Law and Usage.

On motion, the Council fire was quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PHILADELPHIA, 17*th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D.* 380.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled at the 2d run setting of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

ADAM SCHUH—Great Sachem.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Junior Sagamore.
FRANK C. KNIPE—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
HENRY C. BALDWIN—Great Sannap.
GEORGE METZEL—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 14, 17, 18, 19, 26, 27, 29, 30, 32, 33, 43, 45, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 56, 58, 59, 61, 64, 67, 68, 73, 75, 76, 77, 79, 82, 83, 84, 86, 87, 90, 91, 93, 102, 104, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 113, 116, 119, 121, 126, 128, 132, 133, 138, 139, D. C. 1, 2, 4.

Credential of Rep. Henry Sholl, No. 59, read and acknowledged.

Record of morning session read and adopted.

P. S. Wall, No. 102, being in waiting, but not having a certificate, a motion was made to admit the P. S., which the Great Sachem ruled out of order, as contrary to Sec. 4, Art. I, By-Laws.

From this decision Rep. Baer, No. 50, Roberts, No. 56, Brown, No. 18, appealed.

On the question, "Shall the decision of the Great Sachem stand as the judgment of the Great Council?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The following Past Sachems being in waiting, were duly admitted:—

Wm. A. Murtha,	No. 18	John Boyd,	No. 43
Theo. K. Young,	" 19	Wm. H. Malcomson,	" 49
James Smith,	" 26	Justice C. Wright,	" 76
Cornelius Thompson,	" 32	Charles H. Moss,	" 133
George A. Kimball,	" 33	H. T. Bibighaus,	" 136

The Great Sachem appointed P. G. I. Cameron a member of the Committee on Law and Usage, in place of G. I. Eckert, resigned.

Committee on State of the Order presented the following report:—

PHILADELPHIA, 17th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Special Committee upon the State of the Order, appointed this morning, had presented to their notice the following, which, in accordance with the dictates of the noble elements of our Order, should be considered immediately:—

"Iroquois Tribe, No. 42, were completely burned out on the 31st of Hunting Moon, with all their paraphernalia, wigwam, &c."

Your Committee being fully impressed with the importance of sustaining our brothers, whose hunting grounds have been completely annihilated by that most destructive of all elements (fire), would respectfully submit the following:—

Whereas, The hunting grounds of Iroquois Tribe, No. 42, with their paraphernalia, wigwam, &c., have been entirely destroyed, therefore,

Resolved, That a new charter be furnished them free of charge, and that their dues to the Great Council for the past term be remitted.

Yours in F. F. and C.

R. C. SMITH,
THOMAS A. WINKWORTH,
GEORGE K. SWAIN.

On motion, the report was adopted.

Committee on applications for Charters presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 17th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The undersigned Committee to whom was referred the several petitions for charters, and for the restoration of the charter to Miantonomo Tribe, No. 45, report that having given the same their careful consideration, they recommend that the same be granted, and submit the following resolutions and ask their adoption:—

Resolved, That the application for the restoration of the charter to Miantonomo Tribe, No. 45, be granted, and the charter restored.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in the City of Philadelphia be approved, and that a charter be granted to Weccacoe Tribe, No. 135.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Lebanon be approved, and that a charter be granted to Quittapahilla Tribe, No. 136.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Oil City, Venango County, be approved, and that a charter be granted to Venango Tribe, No. 137.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Frankford, in the City of Philadelphia, be approved, and that a charter be granted to Shakahappo Tribe, No. 138.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in the City of Philadelphia be approved, and that a charter be granted to Passyunk Tribe, No. 139.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in Scranton, Luzerne County, be approved, and that a charter be granted to Nan Aug Tribe, No. 140.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Scranton, Luzerne County, be approved, and that a charter be granted to Panooka Tribe, No. 141.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Belle Vernon, Fayette County, be approved, and that a charter be granted to Accomac Tribe, No. 142.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe at Dravosburg, Allegheny County, be approved, and that a charter be granted to Monongahela Tribe, No. 143.

Resolved, That the petition for a Beneficial Degree Council, at Easton, Northampton County, be approved, and that a charter be granted to Delaware Degree Council, No. 5.

All of which is respectfully submitted, in F. F. and C.

JAMES McGINNISS,
N. C. GREGORY,
JAMES B. ZIEGLER.

Rep. Brown, No. 2, moved the report be received and the resolutions adopted, which was agreed to.

Rep. McGowan, Chairman of Committee on Hall, presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 17th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: I beg leave to submit the following as the action of the Committee on Hall, in accordance with the circular laid before you at the last session, held in Pittsburg, and spread before the Order at large, setting forth the plan to raise wampum necessary to erect a hall suitable to the wants of the Order, and forward the same on or before the first Monday's sleep in Travelling Moon to the Secretary, A. J. Baker. On the above sleep your Committee met, and on the roll being called but eight representatives answered, and on the call for subscriptions the Secretary stated he had not received an answer to any of the circulars sent out. This not being very encouraging, and on the call for those present for subscriptions the small amount of some six or seven hundred shares was responded to—this scarcely being enough to purchase a cornerstone, let alone a hall, we have come to the conclusion that the Order is not yet ready to procure such a hall as the wants of the Order require. We therefore thought it useless to exert ourselves, adjourned *sine die*, and the Committee ask to be discharged from any further consideration of the

subject—at the same time thanking the Great Council for their aid and assistance in endeavoring to make it a success; but all our efforts having failed now, we have still hopes that the day is not far distant when a committee will be appointed to carry the thing through.

With thanks to the Great Council and the Committee on Hall for many acts of kindness received while acting as Chairman, I remain,

Yours in the bonds of F. F. and C.

DANIEL McGOWAN.

P. G. S. Weaver moved the report be received, the subject indefinitely postponed, and the committee discharged, which was adopted.

Committee on Law and Usage presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 17th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage respectfully report that they have had submitted to them amendments to the laws of Nos. 5, 7, 17, 18, 20, 37, 43, 49, 57, 80, 85, 89, 91, 94, 107, and 113, which they have approved.

They have also examined full sets of laws of Nos. 48, 77, 90, 105, 116, 119, 122, 125, 127, 128, 130, 131, and 132, which, after modifying and correcting to make them conform to the Constitution and the decisions of the Great Council, they have approved.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

E. F. STEWART,
WM. B. ECKERT,
HENRY FELDMAN.

Rep. Beale moved the report be accepted, which was agreed to.

Committee on Law and Usage presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 17th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage, to whom was referred the communication from Mohican Tribe, No. 127, in reference to conferring the degree of Past Sachem upon brother W. F. Bailey, respectfully report that it is not within the province or power of the Great Council to comply with said request—that right never having been granted by the Great Council of the United States.

Fraternally submitted,

E. F. STEWART,
HENRY FELDMAN.

On motion, the report was received.

Committee on charge against Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 17th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The undersigned Committee appointed to investigate the charges preferred by the Great Sachem, at the late special session, against Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, beg leave to report that the charge of having refused to obey the lawful commands of the Great Sachem is fully proven. The Great Council of the United States, at the late session, "*Resolved*, That the Great Council of Pennsylvania be directed to order Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, to reinstate brother John W. Herbert immediately," which order, together with the command of the Great Sachem to comply with the same, was officially brought to the notice of Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, when the Tribe by a vote refused to obey the order of the Great Council of the United States and the command of the Great Sachem.

Subsequently the Tribe refused to reinstate brother John W. Herbert on his presenting himself in Wingohocking wigwam, the Sachem having ordered him out; and when brother Herbert stated that he was there by the authority of the Great Council of the United States, the Sachem replied, "I do not recognize that authority at present"—Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, thus utterly refusing to obey the commands of the Great Sachem.

That the charge of having sent forth a Circular insubordinate to and defiant of the command of the Great Council of the United States, is also proven.

A Circular, dated 25th sun of Travelling Moon, G. S. D. 379, with the names of the Sachem and Chief of Records, with the seal of Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, attached, was submitted in evidence to this Committee, the insubordinate language being particularly a resolution as follows:—

"*Resolved*, That at the expiration of the term for which John W. Herbert was suspended, viz: three great suns, we will reinstate him; but under no circumstances will we reinstate him until the expiration of the term which he was sentenced for."

The Great Sachem warned Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, of the consequences of their disobedience, and earnestly entreated them to comply with the order of the Great Council of the United States, and his commands, and to withdraw the circular which they had sent out to the Tribes.

Up to the present time Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, has not complied with the order of the Great Council of the United States, and commands of the Great Sachem, nor withdrawn the Circular.

Fraternally submitted,

JOHN WEIDLEY,
F. WOBENSMITH,
JACOB L. SENNEFF.

Rep. McGowan, No. 51, moved the report be approved.

P. S. Goldberg moved that its consideration be postponed until the 2d run to-morrow's sun.

On the question a vote by Tribes was demanded by P. G. I. Cameron, Rep. Brown, No. 2, Smith, No. 20, Wobensmith, No. 116, P. G. S. Weaver, No. 22, and being ordered were as follows:—

Ayes—3, 7, 8, 17, 26, 27, 32, 33, 43, 49, 50, 56, 73, 77, 79, 93, 104, 105, 119, 136, 139—21.

Nays—1, 2, 4, 5, 14, 15, 18, 19, 20, 29, 30, 37, 38, 39, 47, 48, 51, 52, 53, 54, 58, 59, 61, 64, 67, 68, 70, 76, 83, 84, 86, 87, 90, 91, 96, 102, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 113, 116, 126, 128, 132, 133, 138, D. C. 1, 2, 4—51.

On motion, the Council fire was quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PHILADELPHIA, 18*th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D.* 380.

Great Council assembled and kindled the Council fire in ample form, at the 10th run rising of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

ADAM SCHUH—Great Sachem.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Junior Sagamore.
FRANK C. KNIPE—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
HENRY C. BALDWIN—Great Sannap.
GEORGE METZEL—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 14, 15, 18, 19, 20, 22, 27, 29, 30, 32, 33, 37, 38, 39, 43, 45, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 56, 58, 61, 64, 67, 68, 70, 73, 76, 77, 79, 81, 82, 83, 84, 86, 87, 90, 91, 93, 96, 102, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 113, 114, 116, 119, 121, 126, 128, 132, 133, 136, 138, 139, D. C. 1, 2, 4.

The following Past Sachems being in waiting, were duly admitted:—

Chris. Eberle,	No. 5	W. M. Saylor,	No. 74
Thomas Shannon,	" 73	James Cress,	" 129

Rep. Job Rulon was appointed to fill a vacancy on the Finance Committee.

Certificate of Rep. James Cress, No. 129, was read, and on motion acknowledged.

Record of previous session read, and on motion of Rep. Weber, No. 139, adopted.

Great Council resumed the consideration of the report of the Committee on the charge against Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33.

Rep. Weber, No. 139, presented the following:—

Resolved, That this Great Council feel it a duty upon them to legislate upon all matters connected with the interests of the Order in such a manner that the rights of individual members and of Tribes shall be alike protected.

Resolved, That acknowledging the authority of the Great Council of the United States, and yielding all due obedience and respect to its decisions, this Great Council, fearing that injustice may be done in the case of Wingohocking Tribe and P. S. John W. Herbert, in consequence of the want of a full, complete, and correct statement of the whole matter before the G. C. of U. S., do hereby refer the said case, with all the evidence, documents, &c., back again to the G. C. of U. S., and respectfully ask for a reinvestigation of the same, and a reconsideration of its decision.

Resolved, That our Representatives to the Great Council of the United States are hereby instructed to advocate a resolution, and use their influence in the G. C. of U. S. to have the views of this body carried into effect; and to further place before the G. C. of U. S. the full reasons actuating this body upon its original decision in the matter, and upon which it was based.

Resolved, That all action upon the report of the Committee upon the charges preferred against Wingohocking Tribe be postponed until after the action of the Great Council of the United States, as called for by these resolutions.

The Great Sachem ruled the resolutions out of order.

From this decision Rep. Weber, No. 139, Jacoby, No. 27, Bibighaus, No. 136, appealed.

On the question, "Shall the decision of the Great Sachem stand as the judgment of the Great Council?" a vote by Tribes was demanded by Rep. Wobensmith, No. 116, Schmit, No. 15, Boyer, No. 102, Flood, No. 68, Simms, No. 43, and being ordered were as follows:—

Ayes—1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 14, 15, 18, 19, 20, 22, 26, 29, 30, 32, 37, 39, 41, 43, 47, 48, 49, 51, 52, 53, 54, 58, 59, 61, 64, 67, 68, 70, 73, 74, 76, 77, 81, 82, 83, 84, 86, 87, 90, 91, 93, 96, 102, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 113, 114, 116, 119, 121, 126, 128, 129, 131, 132, 133, 138, D. C. 1, 2, 4—72.

Nays—27, 38, 50, 56, 79, 136, 139—7.

Rep. Brown, No. 2, moved that all remarks on the subject be limited to five breaths.

Rep. Smith moved to lay on the table, which was agreed to. Ayes, 68; Nays, 10.

P. G. I. Cameron moved to extend the time for quenching the council fire for one run, which was adopted. Ayes, 72; Nays, 25.

On motion, the Council fire was quenched until the 2d run 30th breath.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PHILADELPHIA, 18*th Sun, Cold Moon. G. S. D.* 380.

The Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled, and kindled the Council fire in ample form, at the 2d run 30th breath. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

ADAM SCHUH—Great Sachem.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Junior Sagamore.
FRANK C. KNIPE—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
HENRY C. BALDWIN—Great Sannap.
GEORGE METZEL—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, 27, 29, 30, 32, 33, 37, 38, 43, 45, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54, 56, 58, 59, 61, 64, 67, 68, 70, 73, 76, 77, 79, 81, 82, 83, 84, 86, 87, 90, 91, 93, 96, 102, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 113, 114, 116, 119, 121, 126, 128, 129, 132, 133, 136, 138, 139, D. C. 1, 2, 4.

Finance Committee asked for instructions relative to the payment of mileage for attendance at the special session.

The Great Sachem decided that it could not be allowed.

P. S.'s Wm. Neaves, No. 17, George W. Wunder, Samuel M. Naylor, No. 18, being in waiting, were admitted.

Great Council resumed the consideration of the report of the Committee on charges against Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33.

On agreeing to the motion to approve the report, the vote was taken by Tribes, and was as follows:—

Ayes—1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 15, 17, *18, 19, 20, 22, 29, 30, 32, 37, 39, 41, 43, 47, 48, 49, 51, 54, 58, 61, 64, 67, 68, 70, 76, 77, 81, 82, 84, 86, 87, 90, 91, 93, 96, 102, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 113, 116, 119, 121, 126, 128, 129, 132, 133, 138, D. C. 1, 2, 4—62.

Nays—8, 26, 27, 38, 50, 56, 73, 79, 83, 114, 139—11.

The report was approved.

P. G. I. Cameron presented the following:—

Whereas, This Great Council having found Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, guilty of the charges as preferred by the Great Sachem, be it resolved that if Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, does not reinstate John W. Herbert, as directed by the Great Council of the United States, through the Great Chiefs of this Great Council, within four seven suns from the 20th sun of this (Cold) moon, that said Tribe shall be suspended until they shall comply with the direction of the Great Council of the United States; and that the Great Sachem, immediately upon the suspension of said Tribe, shall proceed to collect and obtain the charter, charge books, and other private matters, and the wampum in the belt of said Tribe—failing in which he shall at once, and is hereby authorized to resort to all proper means to obtain the same.

P. G. I. Cameron asked the privilege to withdraw the preamble and resolution, which was not granted.

Rep. Schmit, No. 15, moved to strike out "within four seven suns," and insert "at their next council," which was lost.

The resolution was adopted.

Committee on Law and Usage presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 18th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage, to whom was referred that portion of the Great Sachem's report that relates to Appeals, Decisions, and Dispensations, would respectfully submit, that after a careful examination they find that the Dispensations granted by him

* On taking the vote No. 18 voted nay. Subsequently they were allowed to change the vote to aye.

have been for the good of the Tribes asking for them, and in accordance with the laws and usage of the Order.

In reference to the Decisions rendered, the Committee are of the opinion that they are strictly in accordance with the laws and usage of the Order, and would offer the following resolution:—

Resolved, That this Great Council endorse and *reaffirm* the decisions rendered by the Great Sachem during the last term upon the various questions referred to him.

That part relating to Appeals, the Committee are of the opinion, without having the full particulars before them, that they have received proper consideration from the Board of Appeals and Great Chiefs; yet they cannot refrain from calling the attention of the Great Council to the report in the case of Wimmell *vs.* Nevada Tribe, No. 76. The importance of this decision to every Tribe in this jurisdiction cannot be known at this time, but will act in the future against the interest of all, for the following reasons:—

1. It is a decision reversing all previous decisions of Great Sachems, which have been endorsed by this Great Council, and which have stood as the guide and landmarks in all similar cases, namely: That a member must be entitled to his seven suns benefits in accordance with the laws controlling such benefits, in order to receive his funeral benefit; that the beneficial feature of the Order has always been considered *one*, and that a member cannot be disqualified from receiving one (his seven suns benefit), and entitled to the other (his funeral benefit).

2. The decision of the Board of Appeals and Great Chiefs is but an offering of a premium to the members of the Order to refrain from paying their seven suns dues, or bearing their proportionate share toward the regular expenses of the Tribe; as, for instance, the member may be in arrears, taken sick, reported to the Relief Committee, donations granted from week to week, until death being sure and certain, his arrearages are paid, or sufficient paid to reduce the same to within three moons, he dies, and his widow or friends apply for and receive his funeral wampum, when it should be kept within the wampum belt for the use and benefit of those who fulfil all their obligations, and labor faithfully for the advancement of their Tribe.

3. The construction placed upon the By-Laws of No. 76, by the Board of Appeals, is one that was never intended or contemplated by the members of said Tribe, and one which will effect at least three-fourths of the Tribes in the jurisdiction; for the reason that they decide that the words "and then in good standing in this Tribe" refer separately and distinctly to the funeral benefit, because it is in a separate article from that governing seven suns benefits; when the usage and ruling in this jurisdiction has been to construe said words as referring to *seven suns benefits;* thus making the *seven suns benefits* control all others; and, as before stated, *the member, to be entitled to his funeral benefit must be fully entitled to receive his seven suns benefits in accordance with the laws of a Tribe control-*

ling or governing such benefits. See Proceedings, Vol. II, page 381, wherein it was decided, "that if a brother was square on the books, but not entitled to seven suns benefits, his widow would not be entitled to funeral benefit;" also, Vol. III, page 150, where it was decided "that a Tribe could not, by a resolution, vote funeral benefits in cases where a brother was *not in good standing*, for the reason that benefits are intended *only* for those brothers *who are in good standing.*" The committee would offer the following resolution as a substitute for the report of the Board of Appeals:—

Resolved, That it appearing, by the records of Nevada Tribe, No. 76, that brother Taylor was fully entitled to his seven suns benefits according to the laws of said Tribe, that it be, and it is hereby directed to pay to the widow his funeral benefit."

The committee have also considered the report of the Great Senior Sagamore, and find that the Dispensations granted have been in accordance with the laws and usage of the Order, except those granted to Nos. 5, 32, and 139; as under Sec. 2, Article III, Constitution of Tribes, no Dispensation is required to advance the elective chiefs of a Tribe to fill vacancies caused by resignation.

That part of the report under the head of Decisions, the committee are reluctantly compelled to take exceptions to certain portions on account of the nature of the communications, they being part of the record of Wissahickon Tribe, No. 32, sent for the purpose of aiding him in giving them the information asked for; also the communication from the Chief of Records of Wyalusing Tribe, No. 56, which contains matter which should not be placed upon the public record of this Great Council. The committee are of the opinion that a general statement of facts should be given without the introduction of names. They would suggest that such parts be omitted from the proceedings.

That part relating to the question propounded by the Chief of Records of No. 50, as to the status of the Prophet in a Tribe, the committee endorse, and would recommend that this Great Council reaffirm the decision, if such action is necessary in view of the Private work, the Law, (see Section 2, Article II, Constitution of Tribes), and the decisions which have already been rendered upon the subject.

In reference to the question, "Can a Tribe kindle or quench its Council fire in the absence of a qualified Past Sachem, in regular form?" the committee are at a loss to know what is intended by the query, it being so vague, and capable of being construed in so many different ways. 1st. Does it mean that the Council fire must be kindled or quenched in regular form? or that the Past Sachem must be in regular form? If the latter is the intention, we are unable to give an opinion in the matter, for the reason that the Great Council of the United States has not seen proper to adopt any specific law to guide us in deciding what shall be the shape or form of a Past Sachem. 2d. Does it mean that in the absence of the Sachem and Senior Sagamore, and there being no Past Sachem present, a

member of the Chief's degree can assume the position of Sachem and kindle and quench the Council fire in regular form? or, 3d. Does it mean that the Prophet being absent, and there being no Past Sachem present, a member of the Chief's degree can assume the position of Prophet, and the Council fire be kindled and quenched in regular form? If the third proposition be the one intended, then the decision of the Great Senior Sagamore *is correct*, and should be endorsed by this Great Council; but if not, the committee would say that the decision is contrary to the Private Work, the Laws, and the usage of the Order. For, in the absence of the Sachem, the Senior Sagamore is required to preside; but in the absence of the Sachem and Senior Sagamore, it requires a Past Sachem to preside over the Tribe; and if the Sachem and Senior Sagamore is absent, and no Past Sachem being present, the Council fire cannot be kindled, for the *Junior Sagamore has not the right by law to kindle it;* therefore *a member of the Chief's degree cannot kindle the Council fire under any circumstance*, (see Private Work, charges to Senior and Junior Sagamores elect, in "Raising up of Chief," Section 1, Article III, and Articles VII and VIII, Constitution of Tribes). The committee would offer the following resolution in reference thereto:—

Resolved, That the decision of the Great Senior Sagamore in answer to the query propounded by the Chief Records of No. 50, if applicable to propositions 1 and 2, is contrary to the Law and usage of the Order, and is hereby reversed.

The committee have also examined the reports of the various deputies, and find the Dispensations to have been in accordance with the Laws and usage of the Order. In conclusion, the committee would offer the following resolution:—

Resolved, That the thanks of the Great Council are due, and they are hereby tendered to the Great Sachem and Great Chiefs for the faithful performance of their duties during the last term.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

E. F. STEWART,
A. CAMERON,
HENRY FELDMAN.

On motion, the Great Council proceeded to its consideration.

The conclusions of the Committee relative to the appeal case of Nevada Tribe, No. 76, being again read,

Rep. Swain moved that the conclusions of the Committee on Law and Usage be approved.

P. G. S. Stewart moved to postpone the consideration until the 11th run rising of to-morrow's sun, which was adopted.

Rep. Kershaw, No. 29, Sholl, No. 59, Beale, No. 83, were, on motion, excused from further attendance.

Great Council proceeded to nominations for Great Chiefs, and Representatives to G. C. of U. S., when the following nominations were made:—

For G. S.—James A. Moss, No. 70.

For G. S. S.—John Rebman, No. 58.

For G. J. S.—Wm. G. Hollis, No. 50, J. W. Clymer, No. 27, F. F. Snyder, No. 19, J. Kershaw, No. 29, J. C. Moore, No. 48, William D. Steigerwalt, No. 22, H. E. Davis, No. 38, John Shultz, No. 91.

P. G. I. Cameron moved that a session of the Great Council be held this sleep, at the 8th run 30th breath.

Rep. Smith, No. 20, moved to lay the motion on the table, which was adopted.

For G. P.—P. G. S.'s Madeira, Myers, and S. Weaver.

For G. C. of R.—P. G. I. Andrew J. Baker, P. G. S.'s C. C. Conley, M. H. Gorham, E. F. Stewart.

For G. K. of W.—L. C. Pierce, No. 4, T. A. Winkworth, No. 8.

For Rep. to G. C. of U. S.—C. Wiestenberg, No. 5, A. J. Baker, No. 7, L. C. Pierce, No. 4, A. Cameron, No. 50, G. Metzel, No. 37, J. D. Miller, No. 22, Thos. W. Brown, No. 2, M. J. Weaver, No. 22, J. A. Frederick, No. 61, Wm. C. Probasco, No. 51, M. H. Gorham, No. 17, G. K. Rambo, No. 3, J. Dumbell, No. 17, E. V. O'Neil, No. 33, G. McNall, No. 41, J. D. Baker, No. 12, J. C. Moore, No. 48, William Aten, No. 77, R. C. Smith, No. 20, I. W. Bisbing, No. 7, H. Feldman, No. 5, J. A. Boyer, No. 102, J. F. Madeira, No. 70, J. M. Scott, No. 58, O. Heckman, No. 15, R. T. Roberts, No. 56, A. B. Bishop, No. 51, David Shipps, No. 119, Job Rulon, No. 52, H. J. Stoner, No. 104, J. B. Zeigler, No. 37, Wm. Brown, No. 18, John Beamish, No. 113, T. O. Hill, No. 26, Christian Haag, No. 57, C. B. Higman, No. 38, Samuel Wright, No. 19, James McGinnis, No. 39, J. M. Gregory, No. 4.

The following amendments to the By-Laws of the Great Council were submitted and read:—

The undersigned most respectfully offer the following amendments and alteration to the By-Laws:—

1. There shall be appointed a committee on printing, which shall consist of three members, and shall be appointed by the Great Sachem, to serve for one great sun. They shall have charge of all the printing of this Great Council; they shall receive proposals for printing the same, the contract to be awarded to the lowest bidder, and must be a member of the Order.

2. The Committee on Printing shall make a report of their proceedings at each session of the Great Council; they shall receive the same mileage as is provided for other committees appointed by the Great Council.

3. Strike out in Article XVI, Section 5, all before the word "member."

4. Strike out clause 3 of Art. XVII, and insert the following: "Dues from Tribes and Beneficial Degree Councils shall be 6 per cent. of their gross receipts, the same to be paid to the Great Chief of Records as provided for in Article XIX, Section 2."

5. Strike out in Article XVI, Section 6, and insert, "the elective and appointed Great Chiefs in attending the sessions, their mileage shall be paid by the Great Council.

6. It shall be the duties of the Great Chief of Records to furnish a full and correct report of all the proceedings of each session of the Great Council to the Committee on Printing within two seven suns after the adjournment of each session.

Yours in F. F. and C.

JACOB B. WEBER, No. 139.
FRANCIS B. BLACK, No. 87.
EZRA H. HAZZARD, No. 87.

Amend Art. XVII, Clause III, By-Laws of Great Council, by striking out in third and fourth lines, "and five feet for each adoption," and Clause IV, by striking out in third line, "three fathoms," and insert "five feet."

E. A. DRESSLER, No. 30.
WM. B. ECKERT, No. 49.

Committee on Returns and Reports presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 18th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Committee on Returns and Reports beg leave to submit that we have examined the Reports of the Tribes placed in our hands by the G. C. of R., and find them correct, except those hereinafter enumerated.

The Reports of Nos. 4, 14, 41, 42, 47, 59, 75, 86, 87, 94, 98, 103, 119, 120, 128, 132, 137, and 139 had not been received by the G. C. of R. on the 13th inst., at the time the committee met. The Reports of all except Nos. 42 and 137 have been received since the commencement of this session.

The Report of No. 105 is incorrect in this, that it does not give the amount of expenditures, or the amount of wampum in the K. of W.'s hands.

The Report of No. 112 is incorrect in this, that it does not give the number of members belonging to the Tribe, and therefore your committee cannot say whether the tax paid to the Great Council is correct or not.

The Report of No. 126 is incorrect in this, that the Tribe reports seven as reinstated, when the Tribe has been in existence only eight moons, having been instituted on the 16th of Flower Moon, G. S. D. 379. This, in the opinion of your committee, is an attempt to evade the payment of the five feet of wampum due the Great Council on adoptions—they reporting three adoptions and seven reinstated.

The Report of No. 129 is incorrect in this, that it does not give the amount of expenditures.

The Reports of No. 133 is incorrect in this, that it does not give the amount of wampum expended, nor the amount in the hands of the K. of W.

The receipts from the different Tribes, as taken from the Reports, as far as received, amount to 2750 fathoms 3 feet 2 inches.

The following Tribes are deficient in the several amounts set to their numbers, viz.: No. 59, 3 fathoms 18 inches; No. 80, 1 fathom 7 feet 6 inches; No. 120, 1 fathom 4 feet 4 inches; No. 122, 1 fathom 8 feet.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

HARRY J. STONER,
DANIEL McGOWAN,
J. DAVID MILLER.

Rep. Smith, No. 20, moved to postpone the consideration until the 11th run rising of to-morrow's sun, which was agreed to.

Rep. Smith, No. 20, presented the following:—

Resolved, That in all cases hereafter, no matter under what circumstances, the law as it now stands relative to reports must be complied with, before Representatives or Past Sachems can be admitted to or participate in the business of the Great Council.

The Council fire was quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PHILADELPHIA, *19th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D.* 380.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled at the 10th run rising of the sun, and kindled the Council fire in ample form. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

ADAM SCHUH—Great Sachem.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Junior Sagamore.
FRANK C. KNIPE—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
HENRY C. BALDWIN—Great Sannap.
GEORGE METZEL—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1. 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 15, 18, 19, 20, 22, 27, 32, 33, 37, 39, 43, 45, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54, 56, 58, 61, 64, 67, 68, 70, 73, 76, 77, 79, 82, 84, 87, 90, 91, 93, 96, 102, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 113, 114, 116, 119, 121, 126, 128, 129, 132, 133, 136, 138, 139, D. C. 1, 2, 4.

Record of previous session read, and on motion of Rep. Valentine approved.

P. S. Samuel Langham, No. 139, being in waiting, was duly admitted.

Rep. Bibighaus, No. 136, offered the following:—

Resolved, That the Representatives from this Great Council to the Great Council of the United States be instructed to advocate the amending of Section 1, Article XVII, of the Constitution, so as to leave it optional with Tribes as to the payment of weekly benefits.

The consideration of which was postponed until the next session.

The consideration of the report of the Committee on Law and Usage was resumed.

Rep. Smith, No. 20, moved that the time of quenching the Council fire be extended thirty breaths; lost. Ayes, 27; Nays, 34.

G. P. Knipe, on leave granted, asked that (in consequence of a misunderstanding) the vote of No. 18, on approving the report of the Committee on charge against No. 33, be changed from nay to aye.

On his motion the privilege to change the vote was granted.

On motion, the Council fire was quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PHILADELPHIA, 19*th Sun, Cold Moon. G. S. D.* 380.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled, and kindled the Council fire in ample form, at the 2d run. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

ADAM SCHUH—Great Sachem.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Junior Sagamore.
FRANK C. KNIPE—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
HENRY C. BALDWIN—Great Sannap.
GEORGE METZEL—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 15, 18, 19, 20, 22, 27, 32, 33, 37, 39, 43, 45, 47, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54, 56, 58, 61, 64, 67, 68, 70, 73, 76, 77, 79, 81, 82, 84, 87, 90, 91, 93, 96, 102, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 113, 116, 119, 121, 126, 128, 129, 133, 138, 139, D. C. 1, 2, 4.

P. S.'s John Ochs, No. 2, Samuel N. Foster, Bernard Levy, No. 20, Geo. L. Lyle, No. 39, Charles H. Jones, No. 73, being in waiting, were duly admitted.

Great Council resumed the consideration of the report of the Committee on Law and Usage.

P. S. Goldberg presented the following point of order: "That the Committee on Law and Usage have no right to review the cases of the Board of Appeals after they have been considered by the Great Chiefs, as it is contrary to Section 3, Article XXII, By-Laws of Great Council."

The Great Sachem decided the point not well taken.

Rep. Smith, No. 20, offered the following:—

Resolved, That the decision of the Board of Appeals and the approval of the Great Chiefs be sustained.

Rep. Taylor, Valentine, Rinker, Wright, and Bieber demanded the previous question, which was ordered.

Great Sachem decided the motion of Rep. Swain (to adopt the report of the Committee on Law and Usage) to be the main question.

On the question a vote by Tribes was demanded by Rep. Swain, Valentine, Hollis, Hertzell, Jacoby, and being ordered were as follows:—

Ayes—2, 5, 7, 15, 18, 20, 22, 30, 32, 33, 37, 38, 41, 43, 47, 58, 61, 64, 73, 77, 82, 84, 87, 90, 102, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 113, 121, 126, 128, 132, 133, 136, 138, 139, D. C. 2, 3, 4—44.

Nays—1, 3, 4, 8, 19, 27, 39, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54, 56, 67, 68, 70, 76, 79, 81, 91, 93, 96, 116, 119, 129, D. C. 1—26.

The first, second, and third resolutions of the Committee were adopted.

Finance Committee presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 19th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Finance Committee respectfully present the following statement of the finances of the Great Council for your consideration. We have carefully examined the accounts of the G. C. of R. and G. K. of W. for the past term and find them to be correct.

The annexed summary shows the present condition of the Belt:—

Balance in the Belt 19th of Buck Moon last, . .	672	6	8
Receipts from the G. C. of R., ...	3281	1	2
Loan by G. K. of W., ...	700	0	0
Total, ...	4563	8	0
Expenditures as per orders, ...	4861	2	9
Amount overdrawn, ...	297	4	9
" of Loan, ...	700	0	0
Total amount due G. K. of W., ...	997	4	9
Receipts of the present session, per capita tax, . .	2782	2	3
" " " Dispensations, .	129	0	0
" " " Charter fees, . .	250	0	0
" " " Books, Cards, &c. .	117	8	6
" " " Proceedings, &c., .	32	2	5
Total, ...	3311	3	4

The following bills have been examined and approved by the committee:—

G. Kirsch, printing 100 copies German Proceedings,	120	0	0
John Benkert, translating " "	24	0	0
R. L. Dickson, filling Charters, &c., ...	17	0	0
Beverly Copes, binding Reports and Proceedings, .	27	8	5
P. Griffee & Son, folding and collating Proceedings,	6	2	5
Diligent Engine Company, rent of Hall, . . .	2	0	0
Minnewa Tribe, rent of Wigwam, ...	2	0	0
Pocahontas Tribe, rent of Wigwam, ...	9	0	0
Advertising session of Great Council, ...	6	5	5
G. C. of U. S. for supplies, ...	74	5	0
P. G. S. M. H. Gorham, office rent and gas bill, .	53	0	0
Wm. Aten, D. G. S., postage, stationery, &c., . .		8	5
E. F. Stewart, Com. on L. and U., postage, &c., .	1	8	2
Wm. B. Eckert, printing 900 envelopes, ...	3	0	0
" " 225 "	2	5	0
" " 500 blank dispensations, .	5	0	0
" " 600 copies of Proceedings,	217	5	0
" " 1000 G. C. By-Laws, &c.,	66	5	0
" " 200 each, T. & Tribe P. W.	3	0	0
" " 500 notices to C. of R.'s, .	3	5	0
" " 150 notices of sessions, .	3	0	0
" " 350 G. S. & G. S. S. reports,	33	7	5
" " Letter headings for G. S. .	3	5	0
Adam Schuh, G. S., expenses attending adjourned, special, and stated sessions, .	34	0	0
" " Incidentals, postage, &c., .	8	0	0
" " expenses visiting Tribes, . .	50	0	0
John Rebman, G. J. S., attending this session G. C.,	26	2	0
H. C. Baldwin, G. San., " "	9	0	0
Geo. Metzel, G. G. W., " "	12	0	0
A. J. Baker, G. C. of R., cash advanced for supplies,	113	5	0
" " 1000 buff envelopes, . .	2	5	0
" " Insurance, ...	9	0	0
" " Postage and telegraphing,	32	3	9
" " Expressage, porterage, &c.,	8	8	8
" " 6 moons salary, . . .	400	0	0
L. C. Pierce, G. K. W., 6 m'ns interest on loan at 7 ₱ ct.	24	5	0
Thos. K. Donnalley, salary, G. G. F., ...	12	5	0
" " porterage, &c., ...	2	5	0
Total amount of bills, ...	1431	0	4

The following amounts are due for mileage to Representatives:—

John H. Hartzel,	No.	1,		8	5
Thos. W. Brown,	"	2,	3	5	0
C. C. Schmitt,	"	15,	17	7	5
H. W. Villee,	"	22,	3	5	0
Jonathan Kershaw,	"	29,		9	0
J. B. Zeigler,	"	37,	4	7	5
James McGinnis,	"	39,	4	1	0
James Black	"	54,	2	5	0
Henry Sholl,	"	59,	4	1	0
Martin Erb,	"	61,	5	3	5
F. A. Deutenberg,	"	64,	17	7	5
J. H. Patton,	"	67,	8	4	0
A. B. Flood,	"	68,	10	2	0
J. C. Millhouse,	"	77,	8	9	5
M. J. Thomas,	"	82,	4	4	5
Wm. H. Beale,	"	83,	2	0	0
Charles Rinker,	"	84,	3	3	0
Charles R. Yarnall,	"	86,		9	0
George Angus,	"	90,	6	0	0
John Shultz,	"	91,	5	3	5
Daniel Deeker,	"	93,	4	7	5
John A. Shearer,	"	96,	6	2	5
John A. Boyer,	"	102,	11	1	5
N. C. Gregory,	"	105,	8	4	5
N. H. Bieber,	"	106,	4	8	5
John Phillips,	"	107,	5	8	0
F. C. Kramer,	"	108,	6	5	0
H. C. Warfel,	"	109,	12	2	5
D. E. Frantz,	"	110,	7	6	5
Z. Colehower,	"	114,	3	3	5
David Shipps,	"	119,	7	6	0
C. Ellis,	"	121,	8	2	0
J. E. Valentine,	"	128,	7	6	5
James Cress,	"	129,	6	5	6
John D. Colvin,	"	132,	7	6	5
H. T. Bibighaus,	"	136,	4	3	5
M. J. Weaver, D. C.	"	4,	3	5	0
Total mileage,			231	1	1

Recapitulation.

Total amount of receipts,	3311	3	4
" " bills and mileage,	1662	1	5
Balance,	1649	1	9
Deduct amount of loan due G. K. of W.,	997	4	9
Net balance in the Belt.	651	7	0

Your committee congratulate the Great Council upon the favorable exhibit of the condition of the Belt, as compared with the last statement.

In our last report your committee were compelled to ask that the G. K. of W. be authorized to borrow seven hundred fathoms to meet deficiencies, and even this sum was found to be inadequate. Over two hundred fathoms additional were found to be necessary, which the G. K. of W. supplied.

The G. C. of R. was also under the necessity of using private funds to procure the needed supplies of his office, and the Great Council. We think that both these chiefs are justly entitled to the thanks of this Great Council in thus coming to its assistance in its time of necessity, and recommend that the same be extended them.

Notwithstanding there is a surplus in the Belt, we cannot too strongly urge upon the Great Chiefs, and all who have to do with the expenditures of the Great Council, continued economy therein, so that in future we shall not be placed in so embarrassing a position as at our last session.

Section 6, Article VI, By-Laws of this Great Council, says, "the G. C. of R. shall give such security for the faithful discharge of his duties as the Great Council may require." The Great Council having failed to fix the amount of said security, your committee have obtained from the G. C. of R. a bond in the sum of 500 fathoms, with two freehold securities, which they find to be in proper form, and have approved.

We would also offer the following for your consideration and approval:

Resolved, That hereafter, whenever the surplus wampum of this Great Council shall exceed two hundred fathoms, the G. K. of W. shall invest the same in approved securities.

Resolved, That hereafter, the Great Chiefs shall present to the Finance Committee an itemized bill of expenses actually incurred in the discharge of their official duties. In neglect of such bill being presented, no appropriation beyond mileage shall be granted.

Resolved, That orders be drawn to pay the above bills and mileage.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

WM. G. HOLLIS,
JOB RULON,
S. B. TAYLOR,
T. W. BROWN.

Rep. McGowan moved that the report be accepted and the resolutions adopted, which was agreed to.

Committee on the State of the Order presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 19th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on the State of the Order would most respectfully report, that after a careful consideration of the Great Sachem's Report, we find nothing therein to take exception to, and

heartily concur in and approve of his action in the case of Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, in adhering to the law, and endeavoring to carry out the commands of the Great Council of the United States; and your committee feel highly gratified that the Great Council of Pennsylvania have almost unanimously endorsed the action of the Great Chiefs.

Your committee, feeling the importance and significance of this decision, are also pleased to congratulate this Great Council upon the passage of the resolution granting the Tribe four seven suns to reflect upon their past course, and have an opportunity to place themselves right before the Order; and, knowing the high-toned and honorable character of the brothers of Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, we sincerely hope that they will now submit to the law.

Your committee heartily approve of the appointment of P. G. S. Morris H. Gorham as the additional Representative to the Great Council of the United States.

Your committee being fully impressed with the importance and effectiveness of our organization, would most respectfully suggest that the Proceedings be printed in German at as early a period as possible, and that the Great Council make provision for the same.

We also approve of the suggestions and recommendations of the Great Sachem in regard to Degree Councils, and hope that it will meet the approval and endorsement of this Great Council, as well as the encouragement of the Tribes in this jurisdiction. We would suggest that unless the Degree Councils are sustained it will be useless hereafter to grant charters for their organization.

We would also state that we have examined the reports of the various deputies, and find the Order, without any excepion, to be in a flourishing condition.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

R. C. SMITH,
M. J. WEAVER,
THOS. A. WINKWORTH,
CHARLES NAYLOR,
G. K. SWAIN.

G. P. Knipe moved to accept the report, which was agreed to.

P. G. S. Gorham presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the Representatives of this Great Council be and they are hereby instructed to use their best efforts in the Great Council of the United States to have the prefix *Improved* stricken from the title of this Order, so that it will stand THE ORDER OF RED MEN.

Rep. Brown, No. 2, presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the Great Sachem be authorized to direct the G. C. of R. to draw orders on the G. K. of W. for the payment of all printing ordered by this Great Council, as soon as the same is completed.

Rep. Ville presented the following:—

Whereas, A code of General Laws for the government of a Council of Sachems is now pending before the Great Council of the United States (see pages 336 and 337 printed Proceedings of the regular session, held at Baltimore, G. S. D. 379), therefore be it

Resolved, That the Representatives of this Great Council are hereby instructed to use all honorable means to secure the prompt passage of the above Laws.

P. G. S. Weaver, No. 22, moved to postpone its consideration until next session, which was agreed to.

P. S. Probasco presented the following, which was adopted:

Whereas, This Great Council has heard that an article has appeared in a certain daily, ridiculing the Improved Order of Red Men, either wilfully or through a misapprehension of the character of our beloved institution, and more especially satirizing a much respected and useful portion of our organization; therefore be it

Resolved, That we deem it due, not only to the Great Council itself, but to those brothers to whom it more pointedly refers, to pronounce our unqualified disapproval of all such publications.

Rep. Thomas, Angus, and Phillips presented the following:

PHILADELPHIA, 19th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: We, the Representatives from the various Tribes located in Schuylkill County, respectfully petition that the Great Council kindle its council in the City of Pottsville, in Buck Moon, G. S. D. 380. Feeling assured that such action by the Great Council would do much to extend the Order in our vicinity, and pledging ourselves to do all in our power to give you a true Red Man's welcome, we offer the following resolution:—

Resolved, That the next stated session of the Great Council (in Buck Moon) be held in the City of Pottsville.

Fraternally in F. F. and C.

M. J. THOMAS, No. 82,
GEORGE ANGUS,
JOHN PHILLIPS,
M. V. B. HORTHINSON.

Rep. Rinker moved to strike out Pottsville and insert Easton, which was lost.

Rep. Wright, No. 19, moved to strike out Pottsville and insert Lancaster; lost.

The resolution was adopted. Ayes, 64; Nays, 22.

Board of Appeals presented the following report:—

PHILADELPHIA, 19th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Board of Appeals would respectfully report having had the following cases submitted to them, and their action in every case endorsed by the Great Chiefs. For particulars refer to the Great Sachem's report:—

Weaver *vs.* Cordorus Tribe, No. 78.

Winmill (per Taylor) *vs.* Nevada Tribe, No. 76.

Beam *vs.* Winnebago Tribe, No. 35.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

W. H. HARTLEY, *Secretary.*

On motion, the report was received.

Rep. Swain asked permission for Nevada Tribe, No. 76, to appeal to the Great Council of the United States, in the case of the appeal of Winmill *vs.* Nevada Tribe, No. 76.

On motion, permission was granted.

Rep. Kreamer, No. 45, presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That a vote of thanks be tendered to Mr. Hugh A. Mullen, reporter, and to the Proprietors of the Morning Post, for the able and efficient manner in which they have put the Improved Order of Red Men before the public.

The nominations were reopened, when the following were made:—

For G. J. S.—Norris T. Smith, No. 47, H. C. Baldwin, No. 47, A. B. Flood, No. 68, J. J. Pierson, No. 73.

For Rep. to G. C. of U. S.—N. C. Gregory, No. 105, Charles Naylor, No. 87, A. B. Flood, No. 68, C. Abel, No. 48, T. K. Donnalley, No. 18.

The following communication from Old Oaks Cemetery Company was read:—

PHILADELPHIA, January 18, 1871.

To the Great Council of Improved Order of Red Men of Pennsylvania.

GENTLEMEN: Believing we can make an arrangement for the occupancy of a portion of our grounds, on a basis offering advantages to your Order, we would respectfully ask the appointment of a committee from your body to confer with the officers of this Company, and to visit our grounds.

ALFRED C. HARMER, *President.*

P. G. S. Gorham moved it be received and a committee of five appointed, which was adopted.

The Great Sachem appointed P. G. S.'s Gorham, Knipe, Stewart, Eckert, P. S. Taylor, No. 79, on the committee.

A communication from Weccacoe Tribe, No. 135, was read, requesting the Great Council to release them from the payment of the tax on thirty-seven adoptions.

Rep. Brown, No. 18, moved that eighteen fathoms five feet be donated to Weccacoe Tribe, No. 135, which was adopted.

Rep. Weaver and Rebman presented the following amendments to the By-Laws of the Great Council and Constitution of Tribes:—

AMENDMENTS TO BY-LAWS OF GREAT COUNCIL.

Article XVI, Sec. 1, by striking "out on the third Tuesday of Cold and Buck Moons," and insert "the annual session shall be held on the Tuesday on or before Tammany's Day (12th Flower Moon), and the semi-annual session on the second Wednesday of Beaver Moon."

Article I, Sec. 1, strike out "Hot," and insert "Worm."

Article XIII, Sec. 1, strike out "Cold," and insert "Beaver." Strike out "Tammany's Day (12th Flower Moon)," and insert "Snow Moon."

Article XIII, Sec. 2, strike out "Hot," and insert "Worm."

Article XIII, Sec. 3, strike out "Buck," and insert "Flower."

Article XXIII, Sec. 2, strike out "Hunting," and insert "Worm."

AMENDMENTS TO CONSTITUTION OF TRIBES.

Article IV, Section 1, strike out "Hot" and "Hunting," and insert "Worm" and "Corn."

Article V, Sec. 1, strike out "Cold" and "Buck," and insert "Plant" and "Travelling."

On motion, Rep. Whitman was exonerated from the payment of one fathom three feet five inches, received by him from the Great Council of the United States.

An engrossed copy of the resolutions adopted by the Great Council of the United States, relative to the death of P. S. John Carter, were presented and read.

On motion, the G. C. of R. was directed to have them suitably framed.

On motion, the Council fire was quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

Great Sachem has made the following appointments of Deputies:—

EMANUEL WILVERT, No. 69, for Northumberland and Montour Counties, in place of Wm. Aten, resigned.

C. C. FABER, for Franklin and Cumberland Counties.

RECEIPTS FROM BOOKS, CARDS, &c.

FURNISHED TO TRIBES.

No.	*fa.*	*ft.*	*in.*	*No.*	*fa.*	*ft.*	*in.*
4	5	0	0	74	1	8	0
5	3	6	0	78	2	0	0
12	2	2	5	87	5	4	5
14		9	0	88		5	0
18		9	0	91		9	0
27		9	0	92		7	5
30	5	0	0	102		6	0
32	3	0	0	105	1	1	5
33	2	7	0	108	18	2	7
39		9	5	109	3	6	0
44	3	7	5	112	3	7	5
45	19	1	0	113		9	0
49	3	0	0	118		3	0
57	4	5	0	128	1	3	5
58	1	8	0	130	2	4	0
61	6	8	0	135		4	5
68	1	8	0	139	1	8	0
70		7	5				
73	5	1	9		117	8	6

RECEIPTS FROM DISPENSATIONS.

	fa.	*ft.*	*in.*
Amount received by G. S. Adam Schuh	14	5	0
" " G. S. S. James A. Moss	42	5	0
" " G. J. S. John Rebman	3	5	0
" " D. G. S. John Shultz	13	5	0
" " " Norris T. Smith	6	0	0
" " " J. W. Whitman	3	5	0
" " " Charles R. Yarnall	6	0	0
" " " John A. Boyer	2	0	0
" " " John Hays	11	5	0
" " " J. Oliver Gipple	4	0	0
" " " Wm. Aten		5	0
" " " Charles Rinker	1	0	0
" " " Wm. D, Fritz	1	0	0
" " " N. C. Gregory	19	5	0
	129	0	0

SIX MOONS REPORT OF TRIBES FOR THE TERM ENDING 31ST OF HUNTING MOON, G. S. D. 379.

TRIBES.	No.	Amount of receipts.	Expended for relief of brothers.	Expended for funeral benefits.	Expended for other purposes.	Tax paid Great Council.	Number of members.	Past Sachems.	Adopted.	Rejected.	Suspended.	Expelled.	Reinstated.	Admitted by card.	Withdrawn by card.	Deceased.
		fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.										
Tecumseh	1	333 5 3	105 0 0	....	78 5 3	19 0 0	110	7	5	2	9	..	..	..	..	..
Metamora	2	455 1 6	189 5 0	15 0 0	315 6 6	38 6 0	234	31	7	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
Leni Lenape	3	1031 6 5	....	....	920 4 2	94 8 5	159	3	142	4	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kuquenaku	4	234 7 9	164 0 0	....	135 8 8	13 4 0	86	22	1	..	12	..	..	..	..	..
Pocahontas	5	1485 5 0	596 0 0	375 0 0	127 6 7	51 4 5	323	42	6	..	10	..	1	1	..	5
Wyoming	7	304 7 7	9 0 0	50 0 0	183 1 4	18 6 0	94	12	9	..	5	..	..	1	1	1
Shawnese	8	691 2 3	142 0 0	90 0 0	615 9 0	19 3 0	112	27	5	..	18	..	1	1	1	1
Susquehanna	12	600 0 4	142 6 5	....	142 6 0	28 3 5	109	4	24	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Perkiomen	13	479 9 2	43 0 0	....	100 3 1	22 4 5	83	4	20	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Mohawk	14	355 8 8	258 0 0	50 0 0	85 9 2	20 0 0	130	23	1	..	8	..	..	..	1	1
Pontiac	15	551 6 6	175 0 0	78 5 0	583 2 6	30 6 0	184	15	6	1	9	1	..	1	..	1
Chattahoochee	17	160 6 8	52 0 0	....	78 8 6	10 3 0	62	15	2	..	15	..	..	..	..	..
Pequod	18	1426 0 0	945 0 0	350 0 0	573 3 3	60 4 0	376	33	8	..	5	1	..	..	..	2
Cherokee	19	1127 3 5	127 0 0	....	929 8 0	26 9 0	146	24	10	..	11	..	1	..	..	..
Pawnee	20	226 5 8	5 0 0	....	117 2 6	20 6 0	74	4	19	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Eeshahkonce	22	694 4 1	186 5 0	20 0 0	237 4 7	41 4 5	263	39	4	..	25	..	..	..	..	..
Black Hawk	26	407 3 0	282 0 0	50 0 0	111 8 9	19 3 5	109	16	6	..	8	..	..	..	..	1
Mohegan	27	756 0 0	164 0 0	60 0 0	497 8 2	30 4 0	156	20	14	..	16	..	2	1	..	..
Conestoga	28	355 2 5	60 0 0	....	236 6 5	18 6 5	91	11	10	..	19	..	1	..	1	..
Tuscarora	29	486 4 1	122 5 0	75 0 0	361 1 0	29 0 5	167	19	8	..	4	..	..	1	..	2
Seminole	30	371 8 4	39 0 0	50 0 0	197 4 6	23 6 5	141	17	5	..	28	..	..	..	..	..
Cayugas	31	336 6 5	48 0 0	80 0 0	283 8 8	17 5 5	107	16	3	..	6	..	1	1	..	1
Wissahickon	32	418 5 3	218 0 0	40 0 0	219 9 3	15 2 5	85	17	5	..	14	..	1	..	..	1
Wingohocking	33	848 3 7	508 5 0	....	214 4 4	38 2 0	238	14	5	..	7	..	1	1	10	1
Winnebago	35	309 7 6	6 0 0	....	....	17 6 5	71	9	14	..	27	..	1	..	1	..
Conewago	37	789 1 2	158 5 0	....	566 6 8	41 2 0	258	30	5	1	5	..	..	..	2	..
Sagoyewatha	38	412 7 5	194 5 0	....	133 8 9	24 8 0	142	16	7	1	32	..	1	..	..	2
Chiquesalungo	39	467 4 8	163 0 0	50 0 0	163 5 9	22 3 9	139	16	3	..	9	..	1	..	3	1
Seneca	41	270 7 8	52 0 0	....	217 0 7	23 2 5	125	16	9	2	..	..	..	..	1	..
*Iroquois	42	208 7 0	107 1 0	....	123 4 6	....	83	13	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Narraganset	43	409 1 3	160 0 0	50 0 0	216 6 6	16 2 5	105	17	1	..	11	..	1	..	..	1
Red Jacket	44	694 8 7	307 0 0	50 0 0	175 0 0	32 3 0	202	22	4	1	11	..	..	..	..	..
Miantonomo	45	187 2 8	....	....	152 8 2	26 7 0	48	4	39	..	..	..	6	3	..	..
Uppowoc	47	152 4 6	10 0 0	....	35 0 2	9 8 0	62	19	1	..	8	..	..	..	..	..
Powhatan	48	843 4 0	102 0 0	....	134 3 2	22 7 0	148	20	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Coaquanock	49	644 3 4	561 2 5	....	152 8 0	22 0 0	120	20	8	..	3	..	1	..	..	..
Miquon	50	448 8 0	169 5 8	40 0 0	128 3 4	18 0 5	87	17	10	..	6	..	..	..	..	1
Chippewa	51	490 8 1	304 0 0	75 0 0	183 6 5	23 7 0	138	22	6	..	36	..	..	1	..	2

*The tax due was remitted by resolution of Great Council, on account of the losses of the Tribe, caused by destruction of their wigwam and property, by the fire that destroyed the greater part of the town on the 31st of Hunting Moon.

SIX MOONS REPORT OF TRIBES.—*Continued.*

TRIBES.	No.	Amount of receipts.			Expended for relief of brothers.			Expended for funeral benefits.			Expended for other purposes.			Tax paid Great Council.			Number of members.	Past Sachems.	Adopted.	Rejected.	Suspended.	Expelled.	Reinstated.	Admitted by card	Withdrawn by card.	Deceased.
		fa.	ft.	in.	fa.	ft.	in.	fa.	ft.	in.	fa.	ft.	in.	fa.	ft.	in.										
Camanchee	52	469	8	1	132	0	0	60	0	0	308	4	0	23	7	0	148	17	3	..	10	..	..	..	1	1
Washita	53	932	3	5	229	0	0	90	0	0	347	3	8	35	5	0	200	19	11	1	14	..	..	..	..	..
Wyandotte	54	198	5	3	103	0	0	....			154	7	8	6	7	5	45	8	..	..	14	..	4	..	..	..
Wyalusing	56	354	0	5	252	0	0	100	0	0	103	1	5	18	8	0	112	16	4	1	5	..	..	..	..	1
Allegheny	57	576	5	7	129	0	0	108	2	5	181	4	2	36	7	0	218	13	8	1	3	1	1	..	1	..
Allequippa	58	221	4	5	....			....			161	2	5	16	0	0	60	8	14	..	3	..	..	1	..	..
Otsego	59	296	1	4	15	0	0	15	0	0	30	5	7	16	9	2	94	8	12	1	7	..	..	..	1	..
Kickenapawling	60	216	1	5	51	5	0	....			322	4	8	17	5	5	107	10	3	1	3	..	1	..	1	..
Cornplanter	61	539	4	0	29	1	5	....			471	0	3	23	3	5	119	7	11	..	7	..	..	..	1	..
Beaver	62	360	0	3	24	0	0	30	0	0	160	3	2	25	3	0	122	6	14	..	14	..	..	..	..	..
Wawatam	63	220	4	7	133	5	0	....			43	0	0	13	5	0	90	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ottowa	64	470	4	6	155	0	0	....			227	3	8	26	1	0	154	9	6	1	3	..	..	..	1	..
Kishacaquillas	65	96	2	5	40	0	0	40	0	0	34	0	7	9	0	5	47	7	4	1	4	..	2	..	..	1
Kiskiminitas	66	541	9	1	59	0	0	....			197	4	6	26	6	5	131	8	14	..	12	..	1	..	1	..
Ongpatonga	67	257	2	8	21	0	0	....			75	5	8	19	0	5	97	6	9	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Arrapahoe	68	324	6	5	33	0	0	....			164	5	5	17	5	5	87	8	9	1	..	3	..	..	..	..
Shohomokin	69	126	3	3	39	0	0	39	4	0	130	0	0	8	5	5	57	5	..	..	26	..	..	..	1	1
Penobscot	70	511	3	6	114	0	0	75	0	0	371	1	7	25	8	5	149	7	7	..	46	..	..	1	4	2
Mattawana	71	138	2	4	....			30	0	0	75	0	0	9	3	5	49	7	4	2	3	..	..	..	..	1
Tonnaluka	72	187	2	0	88	0	0	....			67	0	9	8	6	0	44	5	4	1	3	..	..	..	..	..
Idaho	73	1125	9	5	204	0	0	....			539	8	8	55	9	5	233	5	42	1	16	..	2	..	18	1
Juniata	74	191	7	1	46	0	0	....			271	7	2	13	5	5	77	6	4	..	8	..	..	1	..	..
Winona	75	212	2	1	17	0	0	....			195	2	1	15	9	5	73	6	10	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Nevada	76	695	1	2	200	0	0	....			570	0	7	38	8	5	239	10	6	..	58	..	..	..	..	1
Mahoning	77	266	2	0	93	0	0	....			184	3	4	15	5	0	100	6	1	..	2	..	1	..	..	..
Codorus	78	358	8	0	44	0	0	50	0	0	246	0	4	17	5	5	77	4	12	1	11	..	..	..	..	1
Minnewa	79	205	8	0	....			....			188	1	6	17	3	0	92	6	7	..	14	..	..	..	1	..
Swatara	80	84	9	5	11	0	0	....			....			6	8	5	39	4	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Tonnawanda	81	789	9	4	35	0	0	20	0	0	440	5	0	16	8	5	79	6	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Miami	82	186	5	5	23	0	0	....			104	4	2	12	8	5	69	5	5	..	6	..	..	..	..	..
Onondaga	83	118	5	0	3	0	0	....			142	1	9	10	5	0	60	6	3	..	19	..	..	..	..	..
Saranac	84	369	0	3	172	0	0	....			277	6	9	15	0	5	87	5	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tamany	85	83	4	0	24	0	0	....			89	6	6	4	6	5	31	5	..	..	6	..	..	..	2	..
Lenni	86	231	9	3	151	0	0	....			....			24	9	0	116	5	15	2	2	..	..	..	1	..
Sioux	87	1067	5	9	133	0	0	....			313	3	7	80	4	5	343	5	88	..	25	..	..	..	1	..
Kittatinny	88	86	0	0	32	0	0	....			58	0	9	8	2	5	35	4	6	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Waunepewink	89	202	7	0	....			....			264	3	0	13	9	0	66	5	8	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Kickapoo	90	128	1	5	....			....			115	3	2	10	2	0	58	5	3	3	2	..	..	..	..	..
Octoraro	91	486	7	6	131	5	0	....			206	8	1	28	9	5	133	3	18	2	9	..	1	..	1	..
Wopwollopen	92	158	1	7	32	0	0	....			193	8	0	19	2	5	115	5	4	2	..	..	..	..	1	..
Conewingo	93	375	2	3	46	0	0	....			168	4	0	25	4	0	146	5	7	..	1	..	1	..	..	..
Honayawus	94	267	5	4	142	5	0	35	0	0	102	8	3	13	6	5	63	4	12	..	3	..	..	..	3	1

Otzinachson	95	90 0 0	4 0 0	....	46 3 7	6 9 0	36	2	3	..	11	..	..	..	..	..
Juskakaka	96	56 8 5	....	....	....	4 2 0	28	4	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Malaeska	97	44 5 0	....	....	....	3 4 0	16	3	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Alpharetta	98	48 8 4	36 0 0	20 0 0	45 0 5	5 2 5	35	3	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Standing Stone	99	172 2 8	38 0 0	....	104 7 8	13 8 0	52	4	12	1	..	..	1	1	..	..
Yo Semite	100	250 2 8	51 5 0	....	266 1 7	14 9 0	76	2	7	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Uncas	101	147 7 5	....	....	80 4 2	14 0 0	60	3	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bald Eagle	102	224 3 5	32 0 0	....	200 1 3	12 0 5	57	3	7	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
Youghiogheny	103	459 5 0	....	....	202 7 5	21 3 0	102	3	12	2	4	..	..	..	..	..
Absaraka	104	438 9 8	....	....	235 9 3	25 5 5	157	4	4	..	..	..	..	1	1	..
Navajo	105	456 5 4	....	....	....	15 1 5	61	2	12	1	6	..	..	2	6	..
Chingachqook	106	283 5 8	5 0 0	....	238 4 2	19 2 5	75	2	18	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Saukie	107	572 7 7	74 6 3	60 0 0	261 1 8	34 9 0	156	3	23	..	..	2	..	..	7	1
Conodogwinit	108	305 7 8	....	....	....	13 1 0	64	2	7	1	3	..	..	2	..	..
Red Warrior	109	422 4 1	....	....	349 4 7	19 9 0	86	2	14	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lackawanna	110	222 5 1	20 0 0	....	126 9 8	9 4 5	53	2	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Minnehaha	111	341 3 0	....	20 0 0	....	12 9 5	53	2	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nemocalling	112	245 5 2	5 0 0	....	141 4 4	13 3 5	49	2	12	..	..	..	..	..	8	..
Osage	113	266 7 7	....	....	336 6 2	22 3 0	113	2	11	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
Chickasaw	114	221 8 5	....	....	169 6 7	14 5 5	67	2	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Itah	115	167 7 6	....	....	214 9 5	8 8 5	39	2	6	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Quockelinik	116	273 7 6	....	....	247 4 4	28 5 0	80	2	33	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Teedyuscung	117	316 5 5	7 0 0	....	217 9 7	16 7 0	68	2	13	3	..	..	..	..	..	1
Manaiung	118	572 1 8	....	....	321 5 4	43 2 0	128	3	48	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wahoo	119	249 6 0	....	....	215 2 5	15 1 5	81	2	6	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kiowas	120	221 9 8	....	....	103 7 7	11 2 0	48	1	8	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cattawissa	121	166 5 3	....	....	163 0 1	10 5 5	37	1	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Opekasset	122	93 5 0	....	....	107 4 4	10 7 5	35	2	11	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Wampanoag	123	180 1 5	16 0 0	....	76 6 0	6 1 5	41	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mingo	124	42 9 3	....	....	42 6 2	8 4 5	33	1	7	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Manitobah	125	100 7 0	....	....	24 4 0	5 9 5	23	1	5	..	0	..	..	..	..	..
Cohocksink	126	259 3 7	47 0 0	....	210 0 0	10 9 5	63	2	10	5	4	..	..	..	..	..
Mohican	127	631 1 4	....	....	260 8 2	26 2 0	68	1	32	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Maconaquah	128	197 6 8	....	....	181 5 4	7 5 5	37	1	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cotoctin	129	190 0 2	....	....	....	16 7 5	45	1	20	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Minnequa	130	192 8 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	251 3 1	12 9 0	36	1	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Sawquehanna	131	75 1 0	....	....	90 4 0	14 1 0	34	1	18	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nescopec	132	924 2 0	....	....	662 1 0	81 9 0	156	1	117	2	..	..	..	1	..	..
Wissinoming	133	128 2 5	....	....	50 0 3	19 5 0	40	2	27	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Yemassee	134	222 3 8	....	....	311 6 0	23 6 5	41	1	35	1	..	..	..	7	2	..
Weccacoe	135	220 7 4	6 0 0	....	163 2 6	28 8 5	49	1	43	..	..	..	..	6	1	..
Quittapahilla	136	275 6 9	....	....	196 8 9	29 9 0	46	1	26	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Venango	137	568 3 0	....	....	527 1 6	29 2 5	45	1	45	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
Shakahappo	138	199 0 5	....	....	176 0 7	27 0 0	50	3	39	..	..	..	..	11	..	..
Passyunk	139	426 1 9	....	....	379 3 8	63 3 0	112	2	93	2	..	..	..	19	..	..
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Panooka	141	298 2 5	....	....	159 0 9	15 0 0	36	..	30	1	..	..	..	6	..	..
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Tecumseh	1	Thursday	Norristown	....	Joel H. Weber	Norristown.
Metamora	2	Wednesday	Lancaster	Fulton Hall, Prince Street	John M. Kempf	Lancaster, No. 6 N. Mary St.
Leni Lenape	3	Friday	Philadelphia	Corner Second and Susquehanna Avenue	Isaac A. Davis	Diamond and Kressler Sts.
Kuquenaku	4	Thursday	"	Third St. above Brown	Gotlieb Ubele	905 North Third Street.
Pocahontas	5	Thursday	"	N. W. cor. Fourth and Walnut Sts	Fr. Aug. Buchman	610 Hallowell Street.
Wyoming	7	Wednesday	"	" " "	Albert C. Baker	1945 Germantown Avenue.
Shawnese	8	Friday	"	" " "	C. A. Winkworth	1237 Market Street.
Susquehanna	12	Friday	Harrisburg	No. 304 North Second Street	T. P. Montgomery	7 S. Third St., Harrisburg.
Perkiomen	13	Thursday	Phœnixville	Sons of Temperance Hall	Frederick B. Shunk	Phoenixville.
Mohawk	14	Friday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	John H. Passau	1205 Alder Street.
Pontiac	15	Wednesday	Pittsburg	No. 67 Fifth Avenue	Oswald Heckmann	Box 283.
Chattahoochee	17	Wednesday	Philadelphia	Assistance Hall, Sixth and Coates Sts	R. M. Trout	101 Walnut Street.
Pequod	18	Thursday	"	Mechanics' Hall, 6th and Germantown Av.	J. Knight	2207 North Fourth St.
Cherokee	19	Thursday	"	No. 1135 Parrish Street	Joseph P. Young	2317 Ridge Avenue.
Pawnee	20	Wednesday	"	S. W. cor. Tenth and Filbert Sts	George Bertram	2130 Summer Street.
Eeshahkonee	22	Monday	Lancaster	Fulton Hall, Prince Street	Peter C. Hensel	E. King St., Lancaster.
Black Hawk	26	Tuesday	Philadelphia	Norris and Sepviva Streets	Henry Snyder	1225 Malborough Street.
Mohegan	27	Monday	"	N. W. cor. Eighth and Spring Garden Sts	E. F. Stewart	1546 N. Thirteenth Street.
Conestoga	28	Tuesday	Williamsport	Morse's Hall	.....	Williamsport.
Tuscarora	29	Monday	Chester	Penn Building, cor. Third and Market Sts.	Wm. Kelly	Chester, Del. Co. Box 253.
Seminole	30	Tuesday	Germantown	Temperance Hall, Mill St	Francis Rodbard	188 Haines Street.
Cayugas	31	Friday	Gettysburg	McConaughy's Hall	Wm. B. Meals	Gettysburg.
Wissahickon	32	Tuesday	Philadelphia	No. 1530 Ridge Avenue	John Gardner	1124 Parrish Street.
Wingohocking	33	Friday	Frankford	Odd Fellows' Hall	Henry G. Townsend	341 Margaret Street.
Winnebago	35	Tuesday	Altoona	Shannon's Hall	Daniel G. Weidel	Altoona, Box 189.
Conewago	37	Wednesday	York	Washington Hall	John Hays	York.
Sagoyewatha	38	Saturday	Philadelphia	Central Hall, Frankford Road and Master.	George M. Brooke	1207 Savery Street.
Chiquesalungo	39	Tuesday	Columbia	Odd Fellows' Hall	B. F. Mullen	Columbia, Box 81.
Seneca	41	Thursday	Pottsville	Town Hall	Joseph C. Holt	Pottsville, Box 437.
Iroquois	42	Monday	Mifflintown	S. W. cor. Bridge and Water Sts	Ben F. Kepner	Mifflintown, Juniata Co.
Narraganset	43	Friday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	Jesse R. Wallan	Rear 228 Thompson St.
Red Jacket	44	Friday	Lancaster	Fulton Hall, Prince Street	Henry Shmitt	Mulberry Street.
Miantonomo	45	Wednesday	Philadelphia	Thirteenth and Girard Avenue	Isaac Bedichimer	322 North Second Street.
Uppowoc	47	Tuesday	West Chester	S. W. cor Gay and High Sts	Norris T. Smith	Box 350, West Chester.
Powhatan	48	Thursday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	John C. Moore	952 Lawrence Street.
Coaquanock	49	Friday	"	Broadway Hall, Broad and Spring Garden.	Wm. H. Pool	1421 Barclay Street.
Miquon	50	Wednesday	"	Odd Fellows' Hall, Ridge Avenue & 23d St.	Wm. G. Hollis	1718 Woodstock Street.
Chippewa	51	Wednesday	"	N. E. cor. Tenth and Chestnut Streets	J. T. Akin	1015 Clement Street.
Camanchee	52	Monday	"	G. I. Eng. House, Allen ab. Frankford R'd.	Andrew J. Miles	1249 Palmer Street.
Washita	53	Saturday	Conshohocken	Stemple's Hall	John P. Armitage	Conshohocken, Box 47.
Wyandotte	54	Friday	Oxford	Central Avenue and Locust Street	James Black	Oxford, Chester County.
Wyalusing	56	Friday	Philadelphia	Odd Fellows' Hall, Falls of Schuylkill	Thomas Leask	Falls of Schuylkill.
Allegheny	57	Monday	Allegheny City	N. E. cor. East and First Sts	Christian Haag	41 Perry Street.
Allequippa	58	Friday	Pittsburg	No. 67 Fifth Avenue	W. S. McDowell	Rear 109 Fourth Avenue.
Otsego	59	Friday	Mount Joy	....	Frank G. Pennell	Mount Joy.

Kickenapawling.	60	Tuesday.....	Johnstown.....	Clinton and R. R.....	Edward C. Thomas.	Johnstown, Cambria Co.
Cornplanter.....	61	Monday.....	Harrisburg	No. 304 North Second St.....	Conrad Miller.....	Cranberry Alley near 3d St.
Beaver.....	62	Tuesday.....	Norristown....	Thomas Hall, Main Street.....	Wm. Bate, Jr.....	Norristown.
Wawatam.....	63	Thursday.:	Roxborough...	Odd Fellows' Hall.....	Walter J. Kent.....	Roxborough.
Ottowa.....	64	Saturday....	Birmingham...	Druid's Hall, corner Carson and McKee...	Gustav Espy.....	Buchanan P. O., Box 295.
Kishacaquillas ..	65	Saturday....	Conestoga C'r..	....	Benj. F. Hookey....	Conestoga C'r, Lanc. Co.
Kiskiminitas	66	Thursday...	Johnstown.....	Clinton and R. R.....	Edward Peters.....	Johnstown, Box 484.
Ongpatonga.....	67	Friday.....	Lewistown.....	Dorcas and Water Streets.....	John Clarke.....	Lewistown.
Arrapahoe.....	68	Thursday...	Huntingdon....	Red Men's Hall.....	J. Oliver Gipple.....	Huntingdon.
Shohomokin.....	69	Thursday...	Sunbury.....	....	Emanuel Wilvert...	Sunbury.
Penobscot.....	70	Thursday...	Philadelphia...	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts..	Wm. W. Shepherd..	925 Poplar Street.
Mattawana.....	71	Tuesday	McVeytown....	....	Edmund Conrad....	McVeytown.
Tonnaluka.....	72	Wednesday.	Irwin Station..	....	R. Hays.....	Irwin Station, W. Co.
Idaho	73	Wednesday.	Philadelphia...	Southwark Library Hall, 2d and German..	Robert A. Shaw.....	1116 S. Eighth Street.
Juniata	74	Thursday...	Reading.....	403 Penn Street.....	T. E. Weber.....	Reading.
Winona.....	75	Thursday...	Pottstown.....	Market Hall.....	H. R. Bossert.....	Pottstown, Mont. Co.
Nevada.....	76	Wednesday.	Philadelphia...	Central Hall, Frankford Road and Master.	Jesse Watson.....	2310 Sepviva Street.
Mahoning.....	77	Thursday...	Danville.....	Montgomery's Building, Mill St.....	Henry A. Kneibler..	Danville, Box 416.
Codorus.....	78	Tuesday	York.....	Hartman's Building, Centre Square.....	Henry Schum.....	York.
Minnewa	79	Friday.....	Philadelphia...	605 Arch Street.....	G. W. Livars.....	201 Willow Street.
Swatara.....	80	Monday.....	N. Hamilton...	....	W. M. Jackson.....	Newton Hamilton, M. C.
Tonnawanda.....	81	Wednesday.	Media.....	Corner of State and Orange Streets.....	Jorell L. Kelley.....	Media, Box 113.
Miami.....	82	Tuesday	Cressona.....	....	Thomas L. Holt.....	Cressona.
Onondaga.....	83	Monday.....	Coatesville.....	Masonic Hall.....	L. H. Humphreys....	Coatesville, Chester Co.
Saranac.....	84	Wednesday.	Easton.....	S. W. cor. Centre Square.....	James D. Smith.....	Phillipsburg, N. J.
Tamany.....	85	Wednesday.	Altoona.....	Shannon's Hall.....	George Bleiler.....	Altoona, Box 453.
Lenni.....	86	Thursday...	Lima.....	....	S. H. Radford.....	Lima, Delaware Co.
Sioux.....	87	Wednesday.	Philadelphia...	Sixth and Christian Streets.....	Francis B. Black....	203 Christian Street.
Kittatinny.....	88	Wednesday.	Marysville.....	....	Wm. Martin.....	Marysville.
Waunepewink...	89	Monday.....	Shrewsbury....	....	Geo.W.Folckemmer	Shrewsbury, Box 5.
Kickapoo.....	90	Wednesday.	Gordon.....	....	James M. Seitzinger.	Gordon.
Octoraro.....	91	Tuesday	Harrisburg.....	No. 304 North Second Street.....	John R. Coekly.....	Harrisburg.
Wopwollopen....	92	Wednesday.	Berwick.....	Odd Fellows' Hall.....	Wm. M. Boyles.....	Berwick.
Conewingo.....	93	Friday.....	York.....	Washington Hall.....	Wm. O. Goodling...	York, 118 South Queen St.
Honayawus.....	94	Tuesday.....	Bloomsburg....	....	Henry Shipton.....	Bloomsburg.
Otzinachson.....	95	Monday.....	Lock Haven....	....	Julius Newman.....	Lock Haven.
Juskakaka..... :	96	Thursday...	Duncannon....	Odd Fellows' Hall.....	Philip F. Michener..	Duncannon.
Malaeska.....	97	Wednesday.	Clarion.....	....	C. R. Crisman.....	Clarion.
Alpharetta.....	98	Thursday...	Millerstown...	....	J. H. Sponsler.....	Millerstown.
Standing Stone...	99	Tuesday.....	Mapleton.....	....	Albert M. Parker...	Mapleton.
Yo Semite.....	100	Monday.....	Glen Rock.....	....	Wm. Boeckel.....	Glen Rock.
Uncas.....	101	Monday.....	Waynesboro...	....	John B. Russell.....	Waynesboro'.
Bald Eagle.....	102	Thursday...	Tyrone.....	....	W. L. Gautt.....	Tyrone.
Youghiogheny...	103	Wednesday.	Birmingham...	Druid's Hall.....	Robert D. Beck.....	Buchanan P. O.
Absaraka.....	104	Tuesday	Philadelphia...	Corner Thirty-Seventh and Market Sts....	Harry Fite.....	3710 Warren Street.
Navajo	105	Tuesday	Scranton.....	105 Lackawanua Avenue.....	C. E. Up Degraff....	Scranton.
Chingachqook....	106	Monday.....	Mauch Chunk.	Odd Fellows' Hall.....	Jacob Sandel.....	Mauch Chunk.
Saukie.....	107	Tuesday	Ashland	Corner Third and Centre Streets.....	John D. Bowen.....	Ashland.
Conodogwinit....	108	Thursday...	Carlisle.....	Volunteer Building, S. E. cor. Square.....	Saml. Kronenberg...	Carlisle.
Red Warrior.....	109	Tuesday	Philipsburg....	....	Edward Runk.....	Philipsburg, Centre Co.
Lackawanna	110	Thursday...	Plymouth.....	Odd Fellows' Hall.....	J. W. S. Macdonald.	Plymouth.

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Minnehaha	111	Tuesday	Brookville	....	Geo. R. Barrett	Brookville.
Nemocalling	112	Wednesday.	Brownsville	Market Street	A. V. Smith	Brownsville.
Osage	113	Thursday	Philadelphia	Kater Hall, Fifteenth and South Sts	Samuel Elder	2052 Ellsworth Street.
Chickasaw	114	Monday	Charlestown	....	Wm. Rapp	Warren Tavern P. O.
Itah	115	Friday	Allegheny City.	161 Federal Street	R. H. Semple	38 Sedgwick Street.
Quoekelinik	116	Friday	Philadelphia	313 North Twentieth Street	Wm. M. James	2131 Evergreen Street.
Teedyuscung	117	Tuesday	Mount Bethel	....	Irwin Eyer	Mount Bethel.
Manaiung	118	Friday	Manayunk,	A. M. Hall	Samuel Grow	309 Green Lane.
Wahoo	119	Saturday	Kingston	....	W. C. Davenport	Kingston.
Kiowas	120	Monday	Hazelton	Hazle Hall	Wm. Kurtz	Hazleton.
Cattawissa	121	Monday	Catawissa	Corner of Second and Main Streets	Joseph Walter	Cattawissa.
Opekasset	122	Wednesday.	Reading	403 Penn Street	Jacob H. Scheufele	834 N. Eighth St., Reading.
Wampanoag	123	Friday	Audenried	....	Moses Owens	Audenried.
Mingo	124	Tuesday	Beavertown	....	W. H. Coleman	Beavertown.
Manitobah	125	Wednesday.	Nazareth	....	J. J. Maus	Nazareth.
Cohocksink	126	Thursday	Philadelphia	Fifth and Thompson Streets	Isaac Goldbacher	808 Noble Street.
Mohican	127	Monday	Bristol	Corner of Mill and Pond Streets	Thos. B. Douglass	Bristol.
Maconaquah	128	Monday	Wilkesbarre	127 Market Street	G. S. Overton	Wilkesbarre.
Catoctin	129	Monday	Littlestown	Brant's Hall	A. F. Barker	Littlestown.
Minnequa	130	Thursday	Williamsport	Seventh Ward	J. D. Ault	Box 9.
Sawquehanna	131	Thursday	Shippensburg	....	James A. Fegely	Shippensburg.
Nescopec	132	Wednesday.	Laurel Run	....	David D. Jones	Wilkesbarre.
Wissinoming	133	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	Pennsylvania Avenue and Coates St	Tuomas Dutton	2051 Brandywine Street.
Yemassee	134	Monday	Ashland	N. W. cor. Third and Centre Streets	Jeremiah W. Payne.	Ashland.
Weccacoe	135	Friday	Philadelphia	Pine Street above Second	E. F. Dieterichs	817 New Market Street.
Quittapahilla	136	Thursday	Lebanon	Odd Fellows' Hall	D. W. Miller	Lebanon.
Venango	137	Friday	Oil City	Odd Fellows' Hall	A. C. Weaver	Box 257, Venango City.
Shakahappo	138	Wednesday.	Frankford	Odd Fellows' Hall	Milton Frederick	4445 Main Street.
Passyunk	139	Friday	Philadelphia	Southwark Library Hall, 2d and German.	Latimer B. Bisbee	Rear 618 Marriott Street.
Nay Aug	140	Thursday	Scranton	105 Lackawanna Avenue	August Ricke	Scranton, Box 518.
Panooka	141	Wednesday.	Scranton	105 Lackawanna Avenue,	Thomas Lowry	Hyde Park.
Accomac	142	Saturday	Belle Vernon	....	J. Reeves	Belle Vernon.
Monongahela	143		Dravosburg	....	A. B. McAllister	Dravosburg.
Massasoit	144	Friday	Philadelphia	S. W. cor. Tenth and Filbert Sts	R. Lloyd Barnes	312 McIlvain Street.
Poutaxet	145	Saturday	"	Earl's Hall, Otis St. near Sepviva	Harry Buscher	726 E. Norris Street.
Leni Lenape D.C.	1	2d & 4th Tu.	Philadelphia	S. W. cor. Tenth and Filbert Sts	Joseph W. Clymer	1022 Wharton Street.
Algonquin D. C.	2	2d & 4th Th.	York	Washington Hall	John Hays	York.
Pocahontas D. C.	3	2d Thursday	Philadelphia	N. W. cor. Fourth and Walnut Sts	John H. Passau	1205 Alder Street.
St. Tammany D.C.	4	2d & 4th Th.	Lancaster	Fulton Hall	H. W. Villee	105 South Queen Street.
Delaware, D. C.	5		Easton	....		

G. S. D. 380.

IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

GREAT COUNCIL OF PENNSYLVANIA.

POTTSVILLE, 18*th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D.* 380.

The Great Council of Pennsylvania, Improved Order of Red Men, assembled in regular session, at Seneca Wigwam. Council fire kindled in ample form, at the 10th run rising of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

ADAM SCHUH—Great Sachem.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Junior Sagamore.
FRANK C. KNIPE—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
WM. C. PROBASCO—Great Sannap, *pro tem.*
GEORGE METZEL—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

The Judge and Tellers of election reported the Nos. of those Tribes from whom no returns had been received, also that some had not been properly attested, or the names of those voting omitted, and one return had therein a number of names and under them, "four of the above voted."

The duplicate returns were then handed them, and they were instructed to count the duplicates properly attested, and containing the names of those voting, and to reject the one that does not properly return the names of those voting.

P. G. S. Conley moved that the council fire be quenched at the 12th run, and rekindled at the 9th run rising of tomorrow's sun, which was adopted.

Credentials of the following Representatives read, and on motion acknowledged:—

John H. Hartzell,	No.	1	John C. Moore,	No.	48
Thomas W. Brown,	"	2	Wm. B. Eckert,	"	49
George Carnell,	"	3	Isaac R. Roberts,	"	50
Benneville Markley,	"	4	A. B. Bishop,	"	51
C. Wiestenberg,	"	5	Job Rulon,	"	52
John R. Cantlin,	"	7	James H. Harrison,	"	53
Ira W. Campernel,	"	8	James Black,	"	54
S. Matt Friday,	"	12	R. T. Roberts,	"	56
J. W. Batt,	"	13	John Rebman,	"	58
Henry Mayfarth,	"	14	F. G. Pennell,	"	59
Oswald Heckman,	"	15	Charles W. Dopp,	"	60
Morris H. Gorham,	"	17	Martin Erb,	"	61
Samuel M. Naylor,	"	18	James H. Buck,	"	62
Samuel Wright,	"	19	Jacob R. Yentzer,	"	65
Samuel N. Foster,	"	20	Cyrus P. Tittle,	"	66
Randolph Supplee,	"	22	John D. O'Donnell,	"	68
John H. Caton,	"	26	Emanuel Wilvert,	"	69
George W. Fiss,	"	27	Samuel Goodwin,	"	70
E. W. O'Brian,	"	28	Isaac Bollinger,	"	71
Jonathan Kershaw,	"	29	John J. Pierson,	"	73
James M. Davis,	"	30	Wellington M. Saylor,	"	74
John L. Holtzworth,	"	31	H. R. Bossert,	"	75
George W. Allen,	"	32	Wm. Magill,	"	76
M. V. B. Musselman,	"	33	Reese Evans,	"	77
Henry Fite,	"	34	Samuel B. Taylor,	"	79
James B. Ziegler,	"	37	Samuel Ewing,	"	80
John W. Walters,	"	38	Jorell L. Kelley,	"	81
James McGinnis,	"	39	M. J. Thomas,	"	82
George McNall,	"	41	Wm. L. Zane,	"	84
B. F. Kepner,	"	42	George Bleiler,	"	85
Robert Sims,	"	43	Wm. F. Mathues,	"	86
Fred Eiseman,	"	44	Robert Parks,	"	87
George W. Kreamer,	"	45	Wm. Heck,	"	88
Henry C. Baldwin,	"	47	E. H. Gerry,	"	89

Thomas Rasbridge,	No. 90
John Shultz,	" 91
David Baueher,	" 92
Thomas Ramsey,	" 93
W. W. Barratt,	" 94
Wm. Shires,	" 95
Thomas M. Wimer,	" 99
John A. Boyer,	" 102
Charles S. McCoy,	" 103
John T. Baer,	" 104
John T. Howe,	" 105
Andrew Elliott,	" 106
Joseph Phillips,	" 107
C. C. Faber,	" 108
H. C. Warfle,	" 109
D. E. Frantz,	" 110
James T. Carroll,	" 111
Thomas C. Gummert,	" 112
John Laird,	" 113
Frank Wobensmith,	" 116
Jacob F. Raub,	" 117
A. T. Wenner,	" 120
C. Ellis,	" 121
Herman Kutsher,	" 122
Richard Hopkins,	No. 123
C. E. Michael,	" 125
Trubert Ortleib,	" 126
Elnathan C. Brown,	" 127
J. E. Valentine,	" 128
Charles L. Adams,	" 130
J. Burr Reddig,	" 131
John D. Colvin,	" 132
George S. Craighead,	" 133
H. T. Bibighaus,	" 136
Benjamin Franklin,	" 138
Samuel Langham,	" 139
Goswin Kieper,	" 140
Lewis Hancock,	" 141
John H. Rietz,	" 142
Charles B. Higman,	" 145
John Kemp,	" 148
John Packwood,	" 149
Jacob Seilhamer,	" 150
Jos. W. Clymer, D. C.	" 1
Peter Swartz,	" " 2
John Benkert,	" " 3
H. W. Villee,	" " 4

A communication from Massasoit Tribe, No. 144, was read. stating that they had requested P. S. Daniel McGowan, of No. 51, to represent them in the Great Council, if not incompatible with the laws.

Great Sachem decided, that under Article I, Section 3, By-Laws of Great Council, it could not be received.

Judge and Tellers presented the following:—

POTTSVILLE, 18th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The undersigned Judge, Tellers, and Clerk, appointed to open and count the votes for Great Chiefs and Representatives to the Great Council of the United States, report the following votes east, viz:—

G. S.—James A. Moss of No. 70, received 659 votes.

G. S. S.—John Rebman of No. 58, received 658 votes.

G. J. S.—Wm. G. Hollis of No. 50, 172 votes; Joseph W. Clymer of No. 27, 427 votes; F. F. Snyder of No. 19, 56 votes.

G. P.—J. F. Madeira of No. 70, 653 votes.

G. C. of R.—Andrew J. Baker of No. 7, 397 votes; Charles C. Conley of No. 51, 246 votes.

G. K. of W.—Lewis C. Pieree of No. 4, 529 votes; Thomas A. Winkworth of No. 8, 114 votes.

Reps. to G. C. of U. S.—C. Wiestenberg, No. 5, 484; Morris H. Gorham, No. 17, 443; Angus Cameron, No. 50, 505; J. David Miller, No. 22, 480; Thomas W. Brown, No. 2, 486; Wm. C. Probaseo, No. 51, 492; Thomas K. Donnalley, No. 18, 493; John Dumbell, No. 17, 395; James B. Zeigler, No. 38, 517; I. W. Bisbing, No. 7, 291; Joshua D. Baker, No. 12, 410; John A. Boyer, No. 102, 462; Wm. Aten, No. 77, 437; John C. Moore, No. 48, 394; Charles Naylor, No. 87, 410; James MeGinnis, No. 39, 316; J. M. Seott, No. 58, 298; N. C. Gregory, No. 105, 346; A. B. Flood, No. 68, 282; R. T. Roberts, No. 56, 321; Samuel Wright, No. 19, 276; E. V. O'Neill, No. 33, 261; A. B. Bishop, No. 51, 301; Thomas O. Hill, No. 26, 186; John Beamish, No. 113, 191; Robert C. Smith, No. 20, 206.

The returns of the following Tribes were rejected for the following reasons: No. 68, no C. of R. signature attaehed. Nos. 110 and 138, thrown out for Representatives, having voted for too many. No. 145, having five Past Sachems names written down as voting, and below it saying, "four of the above five voted;" thrown out by deeision of the Great Saehem.

No returns reeeived from Nos. 63, 72, 95, 101, 105, 111, 115, 119, 121, 125, 136, 137, 141, 142, 143.

We eertify the above to be a eorreet and true eopy of the votes cast for Great Chiefs and Representatives.

FRANK C. KNIPE, *Judge.*
JOB RULON, *Teller.*
GEO. W. KREAMER, *Clerk.*

Credentials of Past Sachems read, and the following admitted:—

S. Matt Friday,	No. 12	Reese Evans,	No. 77
J. Wm. Batt,	" 13	Samuel Ewing,	" 80
E. W. O'Brian,	" 28	A. N. Mortimore,	" 82
A. J. Morgan,	" 34	Wm. Heek,	" 88
James Greenwood,	" 41	E. H. Gerry,	" 89
Jacob F. Petry,	" 41	David Baucher,	" 92
John Schriner,	" 41	Thomas Ramsey,	" 93
David Shaw,	" 41	Wm. W. Barratt,	" 94
Mathew P. Walker,	" 41	Wm. Shires,	" 96
B. F. Kepner,	" 42	Thomas M. Wimer,	" 99
Frederick Eiseman,	" 44	Wm. H. Banton,	" 104
C. W. Dopp,	" 60	Andrew Elliott,	" 106
Jaeob R. Yentzer,	" 65	Wm. F. Davies,	" 107
Cyrus P. Tittle,	" 66	Wm. Wallis,	" 107
Geo. W. Hassinger,	" 74	Joseph Phillips,	" 107

C. C. Faber,	No. 108	James Bateman,	No. 134
J. T. Carroll,	" 111	Samuel Wilson,	" 138
Jacob F. Raub,	" 117	Goswin Keiper,	" 140
Herman Kutsher,	" 122	Lewis Hancock,	" 141
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Credentials of the following Past Sachems presented, and found correct:—

Daniel Dutill,	No. 1	Wm. T. Calvert,	No. 52
Henry W. Shertz,	" 2	V. S. Bloomhale,	" 53
Charles H. Koons,	" 4	John R. McFadden,	" 54
Wm. Vogt,	" 5	Theo. W. Wailey,	" 56
J. B. Allen,	" 8	George Schaffit,	" 57
Henry R. Myers,	" 13	H. H. Kriner,	" 59
J. H. Heckman,	" 15	Wm. Hochstein,	" 60
Felix Henly,	" 15	Chris. Duttenhoffer,	" 61
Henry Powell,	" 17	John H. Colston,	" 62
Jacob Linn,	" 18	George Cappel,	" 64
Gotleib Staiger,	" 19	Ephraim Potts,	" 65
Martin Stanton,	" 22	L. D. Woodruff,	" 66
Thomas M. Smith,	" 26	John Hamilton,	" 67
Frederick Hubbs,	" 27	Wm. H. McCabe,	" 68
George S. Riddle,	" 29	George Hartzell,	" 70
John H. Morley,	" 30	H. A. Bratton,	" 71
Wm. D. Holtzworth,	" 31	Thomas H. Bacon,	" 73
Wm. C. Culin,	" 32	M. E Willman,	" 75
Michael Bailey,	" 33	Wm. H. Brown,	" 76
Wm. Warner,	" 37	John D. Williams,	" 77
Wm. Irvin,	" 38	John Gardner,	" 78
George W. Sener,	" 39	Edward Worrell,	" 79
James E. Brown,	" 41	Philip L. Dick,	" 81
John Evans,	" 41	Amos Bartolet,	" 82
Henry Frantz,	" 41	H. E. Williams,	" 83
George C. Lee,	" 41	Chris. B. Myers,	" 84
Wm. R. Mortimore,	" 41	Wm. Ludolff,	" 85
Isaac B. Rich,	" 41	Jacob Hausser,	" 85
Joseph D. Given,	" 42	Geo. W. Iseminger,	" 87
Geo. W. Peacock,	" 43	Michael Doerle,	" 88
Conrad Mertz,	" 44	Wm. Lutz,	" 91
John S. Steel,	" 45	Wm. C. Barnard,	" 92
Geo. W. Simpson,	" 48	Wm. J. Dunlap,	" 97
John Whitehead,	" 49	J. L. Weagly,	" 100
John Dowlan,	" 50	J. M. Hanagan,	" 100
Harry Larke,	" 51	W. C. Irvin,	" 102

Geo. W. Shearen,	No. 103	Earnest Neubling,	No. 122
Lewis Post,	" 105	J. Albert Smith,	" 123
Wm. H. Noble,	" 106	J. H. Kreidler,	" 125
Ed. Meredith,	" 110	W. M. Holt,	" 127
G. W. Goodwin,	" 116	Frederick Perkens,	" 133
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M. A. Brown,	" 121	Jacob Seilhamer,	" 150

Great Sachem read the following report:—

GREAT SACHEM'S REPORT.

POTTSVILLE, 18th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND REPRESENTATIVES: By the blessings of the Great Spirit who has so kindly protected us, and to whom we render our heartfelt thanks for the preservation of ourselves as well as our beloved Order on this continent, the home and origin of the institution so dear to us, we are again enabled to meet together in our Great Council Wigwam. May the smiles of the Great Spirit rest upon all our deliberations. One great sun ago you invested me with authority as Great Sachem of this State, the manner and ability in which I have conducted the duties of the office is for you to judge; yet I am satisfied that I have at all times, according to my best judgment, cheerfully given such instructions, and rendered such decisions, as in my opinion would promote the best interest of the Order. I have visited a number of Tribes and find them all in a prosperous condition. It gives me much pleasure to inform you of the flourishing condition of our beloved Order; its progress is beyond all precedent, and by proper legislation on the part of this Great Council, will, I hope, continue so.

INSTITUTION OF TRIBES.

DELAWARE DEGREE COUNCIL, No. 5, Easton. A charter having been granted for this Council at the last session of the Great Council, they were duly instituted on the 12th of Plant Moon by G. C. of R. Baker, assisted by P. S.'s Michael of No. 125 and Tolmie of No. 17, jurisdiction of New Jersey, and the following chiefs duly raised up: Charles Rinker, Sachem; James Dewey, S. S.; Thomas Coyle, J. S.; James D. Smith, C. of R.; David Kutzler, K. of W.; W. L. Zane, Prophet.

MOSCOSCO TRIBE, No. 34, Philadelphia. On the 24th of Worm Moon, a petition was received from six of the former members, four brothers and forty-three pale faces, asking for the restoration of the charter of this Tribe. After due consideration a dispensation was granted and the Tribe reinstituted on the 31st of Worm Moon by G. S. S. Moss, G. C. of R. Baker, and G. K. of W. Pierce, assisted by a number of members of the Order. The following chiefs were at the same time duly raised up: A. J. Morgan,

Sachem; Joseph Donahue, S. S.; Samuel P. Conner, J. S.; P. S. Henry Fite, C. of R.; Reuben Longaker, K. of W.; P. S. Wm. H. Githens, Prophet.

Petitions in proper form have been received, and after receiving due consideration by the Great Chiefs, dispensations have been issued for the following Tribes:—

Massasoit Tribe, No. 144, Philadelphia; petition signed by six brothers and forty-five pale faces; received 27th of Cold Moon; instituted 17th of Snow Moon by the Great Chiefs, assisted by a large number of members of the Order. Chiefs raised up: A. Watson Atwood, Sachem; George Riddle, S. S.; J. H. Wiley, J. S.; R. Lloyd Barnes, C. of R.; W. A. Yeats, K. of W.; Alex. Harkness, Prophet.

Poutaxet Tribe, No. 145, Philadelphia; petition received 3d of Snow Moon, signed by eight brothers and twenty-four pale faces; instituted 11th of Snow Moon by the Great Chiefs, assisted by P. S.'s and brothers of Nos. 18, 45, 51, 52, and 76. Chiefs raised up: Thomas Gould, Sachem; John T. Kiehner, S. S.; John T. Winmill, J. S.; P. S. Harry Buscher, C. of R.; P. S. Henry E. Davis, K. of W.; P. S. Wm. Lecompt, Prophet.

P'Sskemuquohiki Tribe, No. 146, Brady's Bend, Armstrong County; petition signed by thirty-eight pale faces; received 23d of Snow Moon, instituted 21st of Worm Moon by G. J. S. Rebman, G. C. of R. Baker, and brother Douthitt of No. 72. Chiefs raised up: J. M. Rankin, Sachem; Horace Butler, S. S.; George Wedge, J. S.; Wm. Sedwick, C. of R.; J. B. Painter, K. of W.; L. F. Menough, Prophet.

French Creek Tribe, No. 147, Franklin, Venango County; petition signed by six brothers and sixty-five pale faces; received 3d of Worm Moon; instituted 22d by G. J. S. Rebman, G. C. of R. Baker, and P. S. Kelty of No. 19, jurisdiction of Maryland, assisted by a number of brothers of No. 137. Chiefs raised up: H. A. Pianee, Sachem; Byron Moffit, S. S.; Isaac Alberts, J. S.; F. L. Martin, C. of R.; I. J. St. Clair, K. of W.; J. B. Myers, Prophet.

Shickalamy Tribe, No. 148, Shamokin, Northumberland County; petition signed by twenty-four pale faces; received 4th of Worm Moon; instituted 15th by G. C. of R. Baker, D. G. S. Wilvert, and P. S. Stroh, assisted by members of No. 69. Chiefs raised up: John Kemp, Sachem; A. F. Elms, S. S.; Isaac E. Kirlin, J. S.; W. F. Smith, C. of R.; Isaac Smink; K. of W.; S. Hirsh, Prophet.

Mocoponaca Tribe, 149, Chester, Delaware County; petition signed by nine brothers and thirty-four pale faces; received 30th of Worm Moon; instituted 19th of Plant Moon by G. S. S. Moss, G. C. of R. Baker, D. G. S. Yarnall, and P. G. S. Conley, assisted by a number of P. S.'s and brothers of Nos. 29 and 86. Chiefs raised up: George Wiegand, Sachem; Abram Mattis, S. S.; Abner Coppock, J. S.; P. S. B. F. Bucha, C. of R.; Enos F. Cloud, K. of W.; P. S. W. F. Cutler, Prophet.

Red Cloud Tribe, No. 150, Roxbury, Franklin County; petition signed by one brother and twenty pale faces; received 31st of Worm Moon; insti-

tuted 26th of Plant Moon by G. C. of R. Baker, D. G. S. Faber, and myself, assisted by a number of brothers of No. 131. Chiefs raised up: Jacob Seilhamer, Sachem; P. S. Skinner, S. S.; John Leidig, J. S.; John F. Woods, C. of R.; Andrew Diven, K. of W.; J. H. Thomas, Prophet.

Mahanoy Tribe, No. 151, Mahanoy City, Schuylkill County; petition signed by one brother and twenty-seven pale faces; received 7th of Hot Moon; instituted 19th by G. P. Knipe, G. C. of R. Baker, G. G. of F. Donnalley, and D. G. S. Thomas, assisted by a number of brothers of Nos. 41, 82, 107, and 148. Chiefs raised up: H. J. Bashore, Sachem; H. L. Petitt, S. S.; Joseph Lutz, J. S.; John A. Mathias, C. of R.; John E. Griffith, K. of W.; Evans Griffith, Prophet.

DISPENSATIONS.

On the 21st of Cold Moon I received a communication from Kittatinny Tribe, No. 88, asking for a dispensation to suspend the payment of seven suns benefits; having furnished a statement of the condition of their Wampum Belt, and complied with the requirements of the Constitution, I granted the dispensation, to take effect from the above date, and to terminate on the 21st sun of Cold Moon, G. S. D. 381.

On the 16th of Snow Moon I received a communication from Maconaqua Tribe, No. 128, asking for a dispensation to suspend the payment of seven suns benefits for one great sun, their wampum being entirely exhausted and the Tribe indebted three hundred fathoms, I granted the dispensation to take effect from the above date, and to terminate on the 16th of Hot Moon, G. S. D. 381.

On the 10th of Snow Moon to Red Jacket Tribe, No. 44, to confer the Chief's degree upon Michael Stall. Fee, five feet, paid.

Dispensations have been granted to Nos. 12 and 146, to hold Picnics in the name of the Order. Fees received, six fathoms.

On the 22d of Worm Moon to Red Jacket Tribe, No. 44, to confer the Warrior's degree upon brother Martin Rudey. Fee, five feet, paid.

On the 3d of Flower Moon to Accomac Tribe, No. 142, to parade in regalia on the 30th, for the purpose of participating in decorating the graves of those who have fallen in the late Rebellion.

On the 12th of Hot Moon to Venango Tribe, No. 137, to Parade in regalia and have an Entertainment with Supper.

On the 5th of Buck Moon to Iroquois Tribe, No. 42, to confer the Chief's degree upon brother I. W. Long, to make him eligible to the Junior Sagamore's stump. Fee, five feet, paid.

APPEALS AND DECISIONS.

On the 26th of Cold Moon I received the appeal of brother J. B. Burnett, against the action of Pequod Tribe, No. 18, which was placed in the hands of the Board of Appeals. The action of the Tribe endorsed.

On the 18th of Worm Moon I received an appeal from brother Robert D. Sutherland, against the action of Kuquenaku Tribe, No. 4, which was placed in the hands of the Board of Appeals.

On the 6th of Plant Moon I received the appeal of brother Allen Martin, against the action of Beaver Tribe, No. 62, which I have placed in the hands of the Board of Appeals.

On the 12th of Plant Moon I received the appeal of brother James Druman, against the action of Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33. On the 20th of Hot Moon I received an appeal from J. C. Thompson, against the action of Cayugas Tribe, No. 31. But neither of these Tribes have complied with the requirements of the By-Laws, by sending the necessary copies and documents.

On the 13th of Plant Moon I received the appeal of brothers Wm. Wallis, Walter Wallis, and Thomas Giles, against the action of Saukie Tribe, No. 107, after examining the case, the Board of Appeals, endorsed by the Great Chiefs, reversed the action of the Tribe.

On the 11th of Flower Moon I received the appeal of brother John Hersh, against the action of Chiquesalungo Tribe, No. 39, which was placed in the hands of the Board of Appeals.

DECISIONS.

On the 16th of Snow Moon I received a letter from Uncas Tribe, No. 101, for a decision on the following question: "Whether any business can be done after a motion to adjourn is carried?" My answer was, so long as you have not declared the council fire quenched, it can—there is no adjournment until so declared by the Sachem.

On the 19th of Snow Moon, John Shultz, D. G. S. asked the following question: "Can a brother visit a Tribe on a final card and being in possession of the semi-annual password?"

Answer.—He could not, he must be a member of some Tribe, otherwise he has no right to make use of the semi-annual password, and his card not deposited.

On the 22d of Snow Moon I received a letter from D. G. S. M. J. Thomas, asking the following question: "Can a brother of the Hunter's degree serve as a Guard of Forest or Guard of Wigwam?"

Answer.—He can; for further information I would refer you to Vol. III, page 39, decision of P. G. S. M. H. Gorham.

On the 6th of Worm Moon I received a letter from G. S. S. Moss, stating that he received a communication from the Chief of Records of Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, dated 25th sun of Snow Moon, with seal. That on the 10th sleep of Snow Moon, 380, the Tribe decided to reinstate P. S. John W. Herbert, thereby obeying the commands of the Great Council and the mandates of the Great Council of the United States.

On the 11th of Worm Moon I received a letter from the same Tribe, asking the following question: "Whether on the passage of a resolution to obey the commands of the Great Council of the United States, directing us to reinstate John W. Herbert, did he not virtually, and to all intent and purpose become a member of our Tribe without taking any further action in the case?"

The following letter in reply was returned:—

H. C. Townsend, *C. of R. of No.* 33.

Dear Sir and Brother: If I understand your letter correctly, your Tribe, since the last session of the Great Council, has decided by resolution to reinstate P. S. John W. Herbert, that being the case, you should have notified the Great Sachem as the law requires; and furthermore, you should have notified John W. Herbert; that would have terminated the case. Hoping your Tribe will conform with the above requirements,

Respectfully,

ADAM SCHUH, *G. S.*

On the 22d of Worm Moon I received a communication from Iroquois Tribe, No. 42, asking the following question: "If a brother is receiving benefits at the time the Tribe receives a dispensation allowing them to suspend the payment of seven suns benefits for a set time, must the Tribe keep the brother good on the books so that he can draw benefits again when the dispensation expires, or must he pay his own dues during the time the dispensation was in force?" My answer was, he must pay his dues, for the simple reason a dispensation to suspend benefits sets aside all laws which has any bearing on benefits, the benefits cease, and in consequence no money of the brother falls into the hands of the Sachem to pay his dues, therefore in order to keep in good standing, he must pay his dues, and in the event of a failure to do so, he can have no claims on the Wampum Belt for the same sickness.

On the 16th of Worm Moon I received a communication from Kickenapawling Tribe, No. 60, under seal, asking the following question: "Whether a Tribe has the right to change their council sleep without altering their By-Laws, and whether the Deputy has the authority to grant a dispensation for the same?" My answer was, if a Tribe deem it to their interest to change their council sleep, and a majority are in favor of the same, the Deputy has the authority to grant a dispensation upon a legal and proper application, without the alteration of the By-Laws.

On the 1st of Plant Moon I received a letter from the Sachem of Standing Stone Tribe, No. 99, asking the question "whether their Tribe has the right to twig for a pale face if the committee reported unfavorable," and that I decided that we must. My Tribe appealed from my decision, and decided we had no right.

My answer was that his decision was correct, and has been decided so repeatedly, and referred them to Article XIII, Sec. 6, which is very plain on the subject.

On the 7th of Plant Moon the following question was submitted to me from Honayawus Tribe, No. 94: "Has a brother the right to transact any kind of business when drawing benefits from this Tribe?"

Answer.—He has a right to receive and transmit orders, provided it does not subject him to exposure, thereby prolonging his sickness, which however is subject to the approval of the Tribe.

On the 2d sun of Flower Moon I received through the G. C. of R. a communication from D. M. Zook, Sachem of Venango Tribe, No. 137, stating that some time previously his Tribe had adopted a person whom it was subsequently stated had been a member of Moax Tribe, No. 5, of the jurisdiction of New Jersey. That his Tribe had communicated with Moax Tribe, No. 5, of Trenton, N. J., but had not received a reply thereto. That he was now an applicant for his withdrawal card, and under the circumstances the Tribe did not know what to do in the matter, as they had no intention of violating the laws, rules, and usages of the Order.

I replied as follows :—

LANCASTER, 2d Sun, Flower Moon, G. S. D. 380.

D. M. ZOOK, *Sachem, Venango Tribe, No.* 137, *Imp'd O. R. M.*

Your letter addressed to the G. C. of R. in reference to the adoption of Mr. Larue by your Tribe, and his application for a withdrawal card has been placed in my hands.

Larue was most certainly wrong in his answer to the question of membership, and should have known that he was either a member of, or had been suspended or expelled from Moax Tribe, No. 5, of Trenton, N. J., although the question *may have* been misunderstood, it would not justify the Tribe in retaining him as a member, or vindicate us for allowing so clear a violation of the laws.

If the rumor of his former membership was known to your Tribe prior to his adoption, they committed a grave violation of the laws and rules of the Order in admitting him without first inquiring into the truthfulness of this report.

Subsequently your Tribe has endeavored to ascertain the truthfulness of the report, and attempted to rectify the error by communicating with Moax Tribe, they should have promptly answered, and if they had any claims of former membership against him should have asserted it; as in the absence of any positive evidence, no action could be taken in the case.

Now, therefore, for the purpose of placing your Tribe and the Order in this jurisdiction in a position of proper respect to the laws, rules, and usages of the Order, I, Adam Schuh, Great Sachem, hereby order and direct Venango Tribe, No. 137, to withhold from the said brother Larue the card applied for, and that if he is not in possession of the current P. W. the same shall not be given him, nor shall he be admitted to the councils of the Tribe until the case is definitely settled, and that you communicate with Moax Tribe, No. 5, of New Jersey, and ascertain from them whether they have any claim of membership against the said brother Larue, and if no reply be received from them within one moon, or if they release him from all obligations to them, then, and thereafter you are authorized to grant him a withdrawal card should he desire one; and in case the said Moax Tribe, No. 5, shall, within the time above named, assert and sustain a claim of former membership against the said brother Larue, then you shall declare him excluded from membership in your Tribe.

Given under my hand and seal of the Great Council of Pennsylvania.

ADAM SCHUH, *G. S.*

Subsequently the G. C. of R. received a communication from the C. of R. of Venango Tribe, No. 137, attested by their seal, stating that by the action of the Tribe they had stricken his name from the records of the Tribe, and had also notified Moax Tribe, No. 5, of New Jersey, of their action.

On the 14th of Flower Moon the following question was submitted by Mahoning Tribe, No. 77: "If a pale face is balloted for and a black twig is cast against him, can the Tribe reconsider the ballot and immediately re-ballot for the pale face?" My reply was, that Article XIII, Section 6, of the Constitution, answered the question.

On the 3d of Flower Moon I received a communication from D. G. S. Shultz, stating that a brother is stopping in our hunting grounds from Harrisonburg, Virginia, he has visited us, and requested our C. of R. to communicate with his Tribe for permission for us to give him the semi-annual password; the C. of R. has done so, and received an answer to the effect, that the brother was all right, and was entitled to the P. W. Now the question is whether we are at liberty to give him the semi-annual P. W.

My answer was, a brother of another State has a right to visit any Tribe in this State, upon presenting a duly authorized travelling card, signed by the Sachem and C. of R., and attested by the seal of his Tribe, and countersigned by his own signature, and prove himself in the travelling P. W. But no brother of another State has a right to the semi-annual password of this State. Each State makes its own password for the accommodation of its own members who require no card for visiting.

On the 25th of Hot Moon the following questions was asked by J. O. Gipple, the Deputy of Huntingdon:—

1.—"Can a pale face be adopted who is not a naturalized citizen?"

2.—"Can a Tribe enact a By-Law requiring a brother to serve as Assistant Chief of Records, to make him eligible to the Junior Sagamore's stump?"

3.—"On an unfavorable report of a committee on a pale face, must a ballot be had?"

To which the following answers were returned:—

The first question was decided at the last session, I refer you to Proceedings, page 133. To the second question, Article III, Section 1, of the Constitution, makes all brothers eligible to the Junior Sagamore's stump who has received the Chief's degree; therefore it is no question with any Tribe to deny the right of any brother who has received the Chief's degree, by making him serve in any subordinate position. Article XIII, Section 6, decides the third question, and which has been repeatedly decided that a ballot must be had.

On the 3d of Buck Moon I visited Eeshahkonee Tribe, No. 22, for the purpose of raising up their chiefs, when I was appealed to by brother P. S. H. W. Villee, whose grievance was that on the previous council sleep an election was held in which he was candidate with P. S. Supplee for Representative to the Great Council, 68 votes were cast, each receiving 34 votes, being a tie vote; but in consequence of one ticket not having the name of

H. W. Villec in full, and one corner torn off, the Sachem decided the ticket illegal and it was thrown out, and in consequence resulting in the election of P. S. Supplee. Upon a careful examination of the ticket I found no cause to justify the action of the Tribe, the ticket had the initials H. W. V. and Representative in full; I therefore decided the ticket genuine, and should have been counted. I therefore declared the action of the Tribe null and void, and ordered a new election.

MISCELLANEOUS.

In accordance with Article XIII, Section 3, I appointed P. G. S. Frank C. Knipe as judge, P. S.'s Jacob Senneff, No. 51, and Job Rulon, No. 52, as tellers, and P. S. George W. Kreamer, No. 45, as clerk, to open and count the election returns for Great Chiefs and Representatives to the Great Council of the United States.

I have made the following appointments: John L. Holtzworth, D. G. S. for Adams County, to fill vacancy of P. G. S. Samuel Weaver, deceased, P. S. J. Weidley, No. 32, on Board of Appeals, in place of P. S. Dumbell, resigned, Jacob B. Weber, No. 139, in place of P. S. Goldberg, resigned.

On the 27th of Plant Moon I received a letter from J. C. Holt, Secretary of Committee from Seneca Tribe, No. 41, as follows: We intend having a Parade and Picnic when the Great Council meets in July, on the afternoon of the third Tuesday, which would be on the first day's session. I was instructed to get your sanction so as not to interfere with the work of the Great Council; it would suit us better because we can get the Music and Park on that day, hoping this will meet your views.

My reply was that I had no objection whatever, and thought it would meet the views of all present, for the simple reason that you may not have the benefit of another session of the Great Council in your hunting grounds for some time to come, and this will afford you an opportunity of showing to the pale faces what we are composed of, and will, in my opinion, have a tendency to benefit the Tribes in your locality.

Reports have been received from nearly all the Deputy Great Sachems, who report the Order in their Districts in a flourishing condition.

The labors of the Great Sachem are however not all away from home; scarcely a day has passed during my term, a part of which has not been devoted to the performance of some official duty; the correspondence of the office has grown to be very great, and sometimes almost burdensome. I have written and copied over one hundred official letters, besides writing many other formal ones, of which no copies were kept. Permit me to suggest and recommend a more careful study of the Constitution of Tribes and the Laws, which would avoid much useless correspondence, and furnish a great relief to your Great Sachem. To the Committees and Board of Appeals, and especially to its able, faithful, and efficient Chairman, W. C. Probasco, my thanks, and the thanks of the Great Council are due. Under their care, and that of my associate chiefs, I have felt that the Tribes did not require any personal attention from me. For the assistance

and advice of my brother chiefs I cannot be too grateful; we have labored harmoniously together, and by their aid the duties of my responsible position have been rendered much more easy and pleasant. I thus publicly acknowledge the obligations I have been under to our G. C. of R. Andrew J. Baker. His long experience and close attention has made his services valuable.

IN MEMORIUM.

During the past six moons "the spirit of darkness spread his sable mantle" over the wigwams of two of our Past Great Chiefs. The Great Spirit has called from around our council fires to the hunting grounds of their fathers, the spirits of two of those who were once prominent, and filled important positions, in the Great Council.

P. G. S. SAMUEL WEAVER.

The death of this esteemed and venerated chief occurred at York early on the morning of the 10th of Snow Moon last, by being thrown from a car by a sudden jerk of the train, which threw him under the wheels and they passed over his body cutting off both legs at the thighs, and killing him almost instantly. The members of the Order at York immediately took charge of his remains, paying every attention required; a committee bearing the body of our late Great Chief to his home at Gettysburg, and taking part in the burial of his remains, where they "covered the sand over him" on the morning of the 12th.

P. G. S. Weaver was adopted into the Order at the institution of Cayugas Tribe, No. 31, on the 22d sun of Hot Moon, G. S. 5614; was admitted to the Great Council as a Representative on the 19th of Buck Moon following; he was elected to the position of Great Senior Sagamore at the session in Buck Moon, G. S. 5624, and Great Sachem in 5625, filling this important position with honor, dignity, and credit. By the death of P. G. S. Weaver the Order has lost one of its best and purest members—one who fully tried to carry out and exemplify in himself the noblest of our principles—whose means, time, and counsel were always cheerfully given to advance the interests of the Order, and promote its prosperity and success. But now he lies low under the sod, and the soft breezes of summer waft their mournful dirges over his mortal remains; his voice is hushed; his last counsel given, the sound of his footstep will no more be heard around our council fire, nor his warm grasp of friendship felt.

Let this solemn, sudden bereavement be a lesson to us all; lead us to try and emulate his virtues, and impress upon us the importance of being prepared "to meet the shaft of death with unwavering courage," so that we may meet him in that Great Wigwam above, where "our council fire of love and glory burns forever in righteousness."

P. G. J. S. JOHN M. LARKIN.

After a lingering illness the Great Spirit called from among us on the 18th of Flower Moon last, the spirit of Past Great Junior Sagamore John M. Larkin.

Brother Larkin was adopted into the Order in Tuscarora Tribe, No. 29, on the 10th sun of Sturgeon Moon, G. S. 5617, was admitted to the Great Council at the session in Cold Moon, G. S. 5620, and raised to the position of Great Junior Sagamore in Buck Moon, G. S. 5623. After creditably filling this position he declined advancing any higher, his extreme diffidence and doubt as to his ability to properly fill the highest position, led him to refuse another election, and he passed from official position with the regrets of his colleagues and friends, who had hoped that he would have advanced to that position where his latent talents would have been brought to the benefit and progress of the Order.

Brother Larkin was by education and natural abilities every way qualified to fill the highest position in the Order; but his modest, retiring disposition led him to decline honors and advancement which many, with far less qualifications, earnestly strive for. Of him it could not be said that "fools rush in where angels fear to tread."

My term of office is now ended. With this report my last official act is done. The great sun has been one of labor and pleasure, and I cannot but feel that it has been also one of profit to myself; and were I equally assured my services had been of permanent value to the brotherhood, I should have my full reward. The pleasant associations that are now to be in a measure severed, cause the only regret at leaving the station in which your confidence placed me one great sun ago. Let us continue to work and do good, looking forward to a future meeting in that Great Council above; and may the Great Spirit, whose eyes never slumbers nor sleeps, guide and direct us to a happier hunting ground.

Fraternally submitted,

ADAM SCHUH, *G. S.*

PHILADELPHIA, 3d Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 380.

ADAM SCHUH, *G. S.*

RESPECTED CHIEF: The time has again arrived for me to report to you my official acts for the past six moons, and in so doing I think that you have reason to be proud of the success of our Order under your administration as Great Sachem. It is with great pleasure that I report that the Tribes in this District are in a flourishing condition, and that most of them have made accessions to their numbers. I hope that the same success may attend our Order in the future as in the past.

I have granted dispensations to the following Tribes to confer Degrees:

Wissinoming, No. 133, Chief's degree on brother Thomas Dutton.

Minnewa, No. 79, Warrior's and Chief's degrees on brothers W. A. Hagey, H. Porter, and L. J. Horn.

Shawnese, No. 8, Chief's degree on R. L. Barnes.

Wyoming, No. 7, Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees on Jacob L. Reiff.

Mohegan, No. 27, Warrior's and Chief's degrees on Robert Thompson.

Quœkeliniek, No. 116, Chief's degree on R. M. Robinson.

Absaraka, No. 104, Chief's degree on A. J. Morgan.

Mohegan, No. 27, Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees on George Neally.

Massasoit, No. 144, Warrior's and Chief's degrees on Samuel E. Ryan, and Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees on James S. Whitney.

Camanebee, No. 52, Chief's degree on Thomas Wilkerson.

Miantonomo, No. 45, Warrior's and Chief's degrees on C. D. Foy and Ellwood Childs.

Powhatan, No. 48, Warrior's and Chief's degrees on Samuel T. Daley.

Amount of wampum received, fifteen fathoms.

I have granted dispensations to the following Tribes to hold Balls, Festivals, &c.: Shawnese, No. 8, Weccacoe, No. 135, Sioux, No. 87, Passyunk, No. 139, Quœkeliniek, No. 116, Cohocksink, No. 126, Miantonomo, No. 45, Shakahappo, No. 138, Wissinoming, No. 133, Wissahickon, No. 32, Penobscot, No. 70, Powhatan, No. 48, Seminole, No. 30, Miquon, No. 50. Amount of wampum received, forty-two fathoms.

I have also granted dispensations to the following Tribes to remove, &c.:

Chippewa, No. 51, from Tenth and South to Tenth and Chestnut, and from Wednesday to Tuesday's sleep.

Pawnee, No. 20, from Tenth and Vine to Tenth and Filbert.

Poutaxet, No. 145, to remove to Friendship Hall, Norris and Sepviva, and from Saturday to Wednesday's sleep.

Minnewa, No. 79, from Friday to Wednesday's sleep.

Massasoit, No. 144, from Tenth and Filbert to 605 Arch Street.

Kuquenaku, No. 4, from Third and Brown to Frankford Road and Girard Avenue.

Pawnee, No. 20, from Tenth and Filbert to 605 Arch Street, and to change to Saturday's sleep.

Chippewa, No. 51, from Tenth and Chestnut to Tenth South, and from Tuesday to Wednesday's sleep.

Also granted a dispensation to Cherokee Tribe, No. 19, to wear regalia for the purpose of visiting Osage Tribe.

Also to Miquon Tribe, No. 50, to hold a special council to celebrate Tammany's Day on 12th sun.

DECISIONS.

On the 11th sun of Cold Moon I received a communication from Wyalusing Tribe, No. 56, asking if they could get a dispensation to open their charter for three moons. I answered them they could not, and referred them to report of Committee on Law and Usage of the Great Council at the session held at Pittsburg, 19th of Buck Moon, G. S. D. 379.

On the 12th of Plant Moon I received from Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, the following question, asking for a speedy answer, viz: "Can a Tribe entertain a proposition and receive one-half of the adoption fee from an expelled

member before they have received permission from the Great Council?" I answered them as follows: They cannot, the only action that can be had by the Tribe is to take the preparatory steps to get permission from the Great Council to entertain such a proposition. After such consent is granted you can receive the proposition, refer to committee to make the necessary examination, &c. I also referred them to page 11, Proceedings of Great Council, held on the 18th of Cold Moon, G. S. D. 379; also to report of Committee on Law and Usage, page 43 same Proceedings, and to Section 7, Article XVIII, Constitution for government of Tribes.

On the 26th of Flower Moon I received a communication from Coaquanock Tribe, No. 49, requesting a decision on the following question: "Whether their Tribe could place to their credit on the books as a member a pale face who is at present residing out of the City, and out of the State, who would be adopted in a Tribe out of this State?" I answered them they could not, and referred them to Article XIII General Laws of Great Council of United States; but I would say that he can be adopted in a Tribe in the State in which he at present resides, and he can take a withdrawal card and deposit it with your Tribe, and in that way can become a member.

On the 25th of Snow Moon I received a communication from Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, stating that on the 10th sleep of Snow Moon, 380, they passed a resolution to reinstate brother P. S. John W. Herbert. It was with pleasure that I received the said communication, showing that the Tribe obeyed the mandates of the Great Council.

Hoping the foregoing report may meet the approval of yourself and the rest of the Great Chiefs, and my brother Red Men in general,

I am fraternally yours, in F. F. and C.

JAMES A. MOSS, *G. S. S.*
D. G. S. for Philadelphia County.

Before the reading had been finished, Rep. Craighead moved the further reading be dispensed with, and it be referred to the proper committees, which was adopted.

The Council fire was then quenched in due form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

POTTSVILLE, 19*th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D.* 380.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled and kindled the Council fire in ample form, at the 9th run rising of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

ADAM SCHUH—Great Sachem.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Junior Sagamore.
FRANK C. KNIPE—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
WM. C. PROBASCO—Great Sannap, *pro tem.*
GEORGE METZEL—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 8, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, 27, 28, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 37, 38, 39, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54, 58, 60, 61, 62, 65, 66, 69, 70, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 79, 80, 81, 82, 84, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 99, 102, 103, 104, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 113, 116, 117, 121, 122, 123, 127, 128, 131, 133, 136, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 145, 148, 149, D. C. 1, 4.

A certificate was presented from Washita Tribe, No. 53, certifying that P. S. Wm. H. Dean had been "appointed to act as Representative," in place of the regularly elected Representative, who had declined to attend.

The Great Sachem decided it could not be received.

Records of yesterday's session read and approved.

G. C. of R. proceeded to read the records of the session of Buck Moon last, when P. G. S. Eckert moved that the further reading be dispensed with, and the record be approved, which was adopted.

The following Past Sachems being in waiting, were duly instructed and admitted:—

John R. Cantlin,	No. 7	John F. Lewis,	No. 90
Wm. H. Dean,	" 53	Thos. C. Gummert,	" 112
John D. O'Donnell,	" 68	A. T. Wenner,	" 120

G. I. Wm. B. Eckert, assisted by P. G. S.'s Stewart, Gorham, Conley, P. S.'s M. J. Thomas, Hollis, and Kreamer, duly raised up the Great Chiefs.

The Great Sachem appointed the following chiefs:—

Great Sannap—James B. Ziegler, No. 37.
G. G. of W.—H. J. Stoner, No. 104.
G. G. of F.—Thomas K. Donnalley, No. 18.

The Great Sachem appointed the following committees:—

Committee on Law and Usage.

P. G. S. E. F. Stewart, No. 27. P. G. S. C. Wiestenberg, No. 5.
P. S. George W. Kreamer, No. 45.

Committee on State of Order.

P. G. S. Morris H. Gorham, No. 17. P. G. S. Frank C. Knipe, No. 18.
P. S. Robert Sims, No. 43.

Committee on Returns and Reports.

P. S. George W. Allen, No. 33. P. S. John C. Moore, No. 48.
P. S. F. Wobensmith, No. 116.

Finance Committee.

W. H. Hartley, No. 8. J. D. Miller, No. 22. H. Fite, No. 34.

Board of Appeals.

W. C. Probasco, No. 51. W. G. Hollis, No. 50. John Weidley, No. 32.
M. V. B. Musselman, No. 33. J. Behrens, No. 135. S. B. Green, No. 27.
T. Ortleib, No. 126.

P. G. S. Gorham, Chairman, presented the following:—

POTTSVILLE, 19th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The undersigned Committee appointed at your session held in Philadelphia in Cold Moon last, to confer with the officers of Old Oaks Cemetery Company in relation to "the occupancy of a portion of the grounds" of said Company, on a "basis offering advantages to your Order," beg leave to respectfully state that on the 19th of Hot Moon they notified the President of their readiness to consider any offer the Company might have to make.

On the 8th of Buck Moon, your Committee, in company with the President, Treasurer, and Secretary, visited and inspected "Old Oaks," and expected to have been able to present something definite in relation thereto for your consideration at this session; but on the 11th of the present moon, we received the following:—

OFFICE OF OLD OAKS CEMETERY COMPANY,
No. 518 Walnut Street.

PHILADELPHIA, July 11, 1871.

DEAR SIR: I have been instructed to inform you that in view of a contemplated change in our arrangements as a Cemetery, we are unable to

submit a definite proposition in time to be laid before your Great Council on Tuesday next, but will do so as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,

MICHAEL NESBIT, *Secretary.*

To MORRIS H. GORHAM, ESQ, *Chairman Committee of Red Men.*

Pending these negotiations overtures have been made to your Committee by other parties having similar purposes in view. While a proper respect for the interest of the parties concerned preclude us from revealing at this time every detail of the business that has transpired, we are nevertheless authorized to make the following statements:—

There has been placed at our disposal for the use of the Red Men for burial purposes a plot of ground in a Cemetery already established, which, after examination, we are satisfied is well adapted for the purpose. This plot will be best understood by an examination of the accompanying diagram, which clearly exhibits every lot in it, with its proper location.

The red lines upon the diagram show the portion of the ground which it is proposed to set apart and dedicate as a RED MENS' REST. It will be seen that it fronts on a well macadamized turnpike road leading from the city, and is bounded on its western angle by a public county road, and upon its other two sides by the adjoining grounds of the Cemetery at large, which contain an aggregate of one hundred and twenty-five acres of well shaded land, hill and dale.

A peculiar advantage of this ground is its isolation from the city, being in an adjoining county, and yet only thirty-six minutes ride from Independence Hall. It is thus at the same time easy of access, and forever secure from intrusion by the march of improvment of the great city, which is a desideratum of the greatest importance.

Other Cemeteries and burial places, with but perhaps a single exception, within the city limits, are already invaded in its plan with streets, and the repose of the dead is thus soon to be desecrated.

The title to this ground is perfect, and not one dollar of incumbrance remains upon it. The gentlemen composing the company are men of abundant means, and are now expending one hundred thousand dollars on the improvement of the grounds, and in the erection of gate-way, vaults, and chapel.

There is not a single objection, so far as your Committee are capable of judging from examination, to these grounds for Cemetery purposes. The plot tendered to the Committee will be the grand objective point of the entire Cemetery for all time to come, by reason of its frontage on the public roads, and including in its area the main entrance or grand gate-way to the grounds.

The plot contains 116 avenue lots of 200 square feet each, upon the cross dividing the circle into quadrants, and bisecting the 17½ feet circular avenue at four points. Around the interior of the circle are 232 avenue lots of 160 square feet each. Around the outside of the circle are 99 avenue lots of 160 square feet each. Along the avenues leading from the gate-

way, and running nearly parallel with the front road, are 40 avenue lots of 160 square feet each. Within the quadrants into which the circle is divided by the cross avenues, are 500 interior lots of 80 square feet each, and in the remainder of the plot are 682 lots of 80 square feet each, thus making an aggregate of 1182 lots of 80 square feet each, 371 lots of 160 square feet each, and 116 lots of 200 square feet each.

The present schedule of Cemetery prices is for the 80 feet lots 25 cents per square foot or $20 per lot; for the 160 feet avenue lots 35 cents per foot or $56 per lot; for the 200 feet avenue lots 35 cents per foot or $70 per lot.

Your Committee, while unprepared to make a final recommendation, have authority to present the following:—

The entire number of lots in the plot to be dedicated as the Red Mens' Rest, and to be placed at the disposal of the Order at 25 cents per foot for the 80 feet lots, and 35 cents per foot for the avenue lots, as they run; the Order engaging not to dispose of the avenue lots at less than $56 each, or 35 cents per foot. The payments to be made to the Cemetery Company as the lots are sold, at the rate of $1 per month on each $20 lot, and in like proportion for the larger lots; the time for selling being limited to three years.

The Committee are authorized to present each and every Tribe selling fifty 80 feet lots, and paying therefor, one avenue lot free of charge as a Tribal lot.

A plot of ground in the centre of the circle, not less than 20 feet in diameter, to be presented to the Great Council of Pennsylvania as a strangers' ground, or on which to erect a monument to the Order.

Finally, the Cemetery Company will bind themselves to pay not less than *eight thousand dollars in* CASH *to the Great Council*, to be set apart as a nucleus for a HALL FUND, the said fund to be *paid in* as the lots are paid for.

All deeds for lots are to be *in fee simple.*

Your Committee have thus endeavored to indicate, without prejudice to any of the parties concerned, the basis of their negotiations; and as their powers are only advisory in the premises, they offer the following resolutions and ask their adoption:—

Resolved, That the report be received and the Committee continued.

Resolved, That the Committee be, and they are hereby empowered to conclude an agreement with regard to the Cemetery grounds, on the basis indicated in this report, or on any basis offered, which in their judgment may be more advantageous to the Order.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

MORRIS H. GORHAM,
FRANK C. KNIPE,
E. F. STEWART,
WM. B. ECKERT,
S. B. TAYLOR.

P. S. Smith, of No. 20, moved that it be laid over and made the special order for 10th run to-morrow's sun. Adopted.

Great Chiefs presented the following:—

POTTSVILLE, 19th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

The Great Chiefs report that they have received from the Board of Appeals reports in the following cases:—

Burnet *vs.* Pequod Tribe, No. 18. The Board sustain the action of the Tribe and dismiss the appeal. Great Chiefs approve the report.

Wallis and others *vs.* Saukie Tribe, No. 107. Appeal sustained and action of the Tribe reversed. Great Chiefs approve the report.

Hersh *vs.* Chiquesalungo Tribe, No. 39. The Board sustain the action of the Tribe and dismiss the appeal. Report approved.

Sutherland *vs.* Kuquenaku Tribe, No. 4. The Board of Appeals report the following resolution:—

"*Resolved*, That the case of the appeal of R. D. Sutherland against the action of Kuquenaku Tribe, No. 4, in refusing to pay him seven suns benefits, that the Tribe be directed to proceed in accordance with law as directed by Article XVIII, Constitution of Tribes, or pay the amount of wampum claimed by the brother."

The Great Chiefs cannot approve this report, believing it be within the province of the Board to examine and decide upon the claim of the appellant. And we do not see why a brother who may conscientiously believe himself entitled to benefits, shall be amenable to the penalty prescribed in Article XVIII of the Constitution, for making application for the same.

Martin *vs.* Beaver Tribe, No. 62. This case is surrounded with peculiar circumstances, and for the purpose of bringing it before the Great Council, the Great Chiefs have not approved the report.

We desire to state that in the case of No. 18, the Great Prophet being a member of that Tribe, took no part in the consideration of it; and also in the case of No. 4, of which the G. K. of W. is a member, he refrained from taking part in its consideration.

Very respectfully yours,

ADAM SCHUH, *G. S.*
JAMES A. MOSS, *G. S. S.*
JOHN REBMAN, *G. J. S.*
FRANK C. KNIPE, *G. P.*
LEWIS C. PIERCE, *G. K. of W.*
ANDREW J. BAKER, *G. C. of R.*

So much of report as relates to Sutherland *vs.* No. 4, was again read.

Rep. Eckert moved it be referred to the Board of Appeals, and they be directed to examine into the claim of the appellant. Adopted.

So much as relates to Martin *vs.* No. 62, was read, together with the report of the Board of Appeals.

P. G. S. Gorham moved it be recommitted to the Board, with instructions to reverse the action of the Tribe, which was adopted.

P. G. S. Knipe offered the following:—

Resolved, That the sessions of this Great Council be held from the 9th run rising of the sun until the 12th, and from the 2d run to the 6th run setting of the sun, and no sleep session.

P. G. S. Conley moved to strike out "no sleep session," and insert that a sleep session be held, provided the wigwam can be had. Lost.

The resolution was then adopted.

Petitions for several charters, and for the restoration of charter to No. 34, were read, and referred to the following committee: P. G. S. Knipe, P. S.'s Miller, and Taylor.

A communication from Arrapahoe Tribe, No. 68, was read, asking permission to restore to membership Edward Pope, an expelled member.

Also one from Kuquenaku Tribe, No. 4, asking permission to restore to membership Marcus Reese, an expelled member.

On motion of P. S. Probasco, permission was granted to both Tribes.

Rep. Rulon, No. 52, requested permission for his Tribe to restore to membership Edward Fetter, an expelled member.

P. S. Probasco moved that the Great Chiefs have power to grant permission, upon the Tribe making proper application, which was adopted.

Notice of the next session of the Great Council of the United States was read.

P. G. S. Madeira moved that a committee of five be appointed to make arrangements for the session of the Great Council of the United States, and that an appropriation of two hundred fathoms be made to the committee. Adopted.

Great Sachem appointed P. G. S.'s Madeira, Gorham, Wiestenberg, P. S.'s Taylor, and Kreamer, the committee.

Notice of the following amendments to the Constitution of the Great Council of the United States was read:—

Resolved, That Section 2, Article II, Constitution of the Great Council of the United States, be amended by striking out all of said Section after the word *above*, in the first line thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof, "shall be entitled to two Representatives, and an additional Representative for each one thousand members under its jurisdiction, or fractional number thereof, exceeding eight hundred, for the first five thousand members; but no Great Council shall be entitled to more than seven Representatives."

Article as proposed—Each Great Council as above, shall be entitled to two Representatives, and an additional Representative for each one thousand members under its jurisdiction (or fractional number thereof exceeding eight hundred), for the first five thousand members; but no Great Council shall be entitled to more than seven Representatives.

On motion of Rep. Sims, it was received and referred to the Representatives to the Great Council of the United States.

P. G. S. Conley moved that Rep. Shires, of No. 96, be excused from further attendance at the session on account of illness, and that an order be drawn for his mileage, which was adopted.

Council fire quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

POTTSVILLE, 19*th Sun*, *Buck Moon*, *G. S. D.* 380.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled and kindled the Council fire in due form, at the 2d run. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

JAMES A. MOSS—Great Sachem.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOSEPH W. CLYMER—Great Junior Sagamore.
J. F. MADEIRA—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
J. B. ZIEGLER—Great Sannap.
H. J. STONER—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 3, 5, 7, 8, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, 27, 28, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 37, 38, 39, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54, 58, 60, 61, 62, 65, 66, 68, 69, 70, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 79, 80, 81, 82, 84, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 93, 94, 99, 102, 103, 104, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 113, 116, 117, 120, 121, 122, 123, 127, 128, 131, 133, 136, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 145, 148, 149, D. C. 1, 4.

P. S.'s C. D. Boyer and David L. Williams, of No. 41, were admitted.

P. G. S. Knipe, Chairman, presented the following:—

POTTSVILLE, 19th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The undersigned Committee to whom was referred the several petitions for charters, and for the restoration of the charter to Moscosco Tribe, No. 34, beg leave to report that they have attended to the duty assigned them, and recommend the following for adoption by this Great Council:—

Resolved, That the application for the restoration of the charter to Moscosco Tribe, No. 34, be granted, and the charter be restored.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in Philadelphia be approved, and that a charter be granted to Massasoit Tribe, No. 144.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in Philadelphia be approved, and that a charter be granted to Poutaxet Tribe, No. 145.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in Brady's Bend, Armstrong Co., be approved, and a charter be granted to P'Sskemuquohiki Tribe, No. 146.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in Franklin, Venango County, be approved, and a charter be granted to French Creek Tribe, No. 147.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in Shamokin, Northumberland County, be approved, and a charter be granted to Shickalamy Tribe, No. 148.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in Chester, Delaware County, be approved, and a charter be granted to Mocaponaca Tribe, No. 149.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in Roxbury, Franklin County, be approved, and a charter be granted to Red Cloud Tribe, No. 150.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in Mahanoy City, Schuylkill County, be approved, and a charter be granted to Mahanoy Tribe, No. 151.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in Northumberland, Northumberland County, be approved, and a charter be granted to Chillisquaqua Tribe, No. 152.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in Watsontown, Northumberland Co., be approved, and a charter be granted to Wawenoc Tribe, No. 153.

All of which is respectfully submitted, in F. F. and C.

FRANK C. KNIPE,
S. B. TAYLOR,
J. DAVID MILLER.

Rep. Eckert moved that the report be received and eharters granted. Adopted.

Rep. Foster moved that the G. C. of R. be direeted to print all amendments to Constitution of Tribes in eireular form, and send the same to all the Tribes. Adopted.

The several amendments to the By-Laws of Great Couneil, presented at last session by Reps. Weber and Blaek (pp. 153, 154), were again read, and, on motion, laid on the table.

The amendments to Clause III, Article XVII, was again read. Rep. Kreamer moved to strike out "five feet" and insert "two feet five inehes," whieh was adopted, and the By-Laws as amended was then adopted.

The amendment to Clause IV, Artiele XVII, was on motion laid on the table.

The amendments to By-Laws of Great Couneil, presented at last session by Rep. Weaver and Rebman (p. 165), Artiele XVI, Seetion 1, was again read, and on the question to adopt the same, a vote by Tribes was demanded by Craighead, Shultz, Moore, Taylor, and Wobensmith, and being ordered were as follows:—

Ayes—4, 5, 7, 12, 13, 14, 17, 19, 22, 27, 33, 34, 37, 38, 39, 41, 43, 44, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54, 58, 60, 61, 65, 68, 69, 70, 73, 75, 76, 77, 79, 80, 81, 82, 84, 86, 87, 88, 89, 93, 99, 102, 104, 106, 107, 108, 109, 111, 116, 117, 122, 123, 127, 136, 139, 140, 145, 148, 149, D. C. 1, 4—66.

Nays—1, 3, 8, 15, 18, 20, 30, 31, 32, 42, 45, 62, 66, 91, 92, 94, 103, 110, 112, 113, 120, 121, 131, 133, 138, 142—26.

The amendments to Artiele I, Seetion 2, Artiele XIII, Seetions 1, 2, 3, and Article XVIII, See. 2, were then severally read and adopted.

The amendments to Constitution of Tribes, Artiele IV, Seetion 1, and Article V, Seetion 1 (p. 165), were again read, when P. G. S. Knipe raised the following point of order:—

Your deeision on the aetion of the Great Couneil of this morning's session, was that the vote of the Great Couneil earried with it all the proposed amendments to the Constitution of Tribes. I would ask if the Great Couneil ean recede from a portion of its aetion, and adhere to the balance.

Great Sachem deeided no, unless by unanimous consent of the Great Council.

P. G. S. Knipe having withdrawn his objections, the amendments were then considered and adopted.

The resolutions offered by Rep. Bibighaus, No. 136, at the last session (p. 156), was called up for consideration.

The run for quenching the council fire having arrived, the Great Sachem proceeded to quench the Council fire in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

POTTSVILLE, 20*th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D.* 380.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled at the 9th run rising of the sun, and kindled the Council fire in ample form. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

JAMES A. MOSS—Great Sachem.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOSEPH W. CLYMER—Great Junior Sagamore.
J. F. MADEIRA—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
JAMES B. ZIEGLER—Great Sannap.
H. J. STONER—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, 27, 28, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 37, 38, 39, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54, 58, 60, 61, 62, 65, 66, 68, 70, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 79, 80, 81, 82, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 99, 102, 103, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 116, 117, 120, 121, 122, 123, 127, 131, 133, 136, 139, 140, 141, 142, 145, 148, 149, D. C. 1, 4.

Record of yesterday's session read and approved.

Reps. of Nos. 12, 69, 121, 128, and 138, were, on motion, excused from further attendance.

P. S.'s Henry H. Huntzinger of No. 41, and Wm. Beck of No. 82, were instructed and admitted.

Great Council resumed consideration of the resolution of Rep. Bibighaus, and on the question, a vote by Tribes was demanded by Zane, Kemp, Bibighaus, Raub, Mathues, and being ordered were as follows:—

Ayes—8, 27, 41, 44, 50, 54, 68, 84, 102, 104, 106, 109, 117, 122, 131, 133, 136, 145—18.

Nays—1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, 28, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 37, 38, 39, 42, 43, 45, 48, 49, 51, 52, 58, 60, 62, 66, 70, 73, 75, 76, 77, 79, 80, 81, 82, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 99, 103, 107, 110, 111, 112, 113, 116, 120, 121, 123, 127, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 148, 149, D. C. 1, 4—72.

Committee on Returns and Reports presented their report, which was on motion referred back to the Committee, to allow the Tribes an opportunity to pay their deficiencies.

P. S. Probasco presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That for the remainder of the session of this Great Council, all speeches upon questions under debate, be confined to the period of five breaths.

The special order being the consideration of the report of the Committee to confer with Old Oaks Cemetery, the Great Council proceeded to its consideration.

Rep. Moore, No. 48, moved the report be received and the resolutions adopted, and on the question, a vote by Tribes was demanded by Foster, Higman, Wobensmith, Langham, Kemp, and being ordered were as follows:—

Ayes—1, 3, 5, 8, 13, 14, 17, 18, 19, 22, 27, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 37, 43, 44, 45, 48, 49, 52, 54, 62, 70, 73, 79, 81, 82, 84, 86, 87, 88, 90, 92, 93, 94, 104, 106, 107, 110, 111, 113, 116, 117, 123, 127, 131, 138, 139, 141, 148, 149, D. C. 1, 4—56.

Nays—4, 7, 12, 15, 20, 28, 38, 39, 41, 42, 50, 51, 58, 60, 61, 65, 66, 68, 74, 75, 76, 77, 80, 89, 91, 99, 102, 103, 108, 109, 112, 120, 122, 133, 136, 140, 142, 145—37.

The preamble and resolutions offered by Rep. Villee at the last session (p. 163), were called up.

Rep. Foster, No. 20, moved that the subject be left to the discretion of the Representatives of this body to G. C. of U. S., which was adopted.

Committee on Returns and Reports presented the following:—

POTTSVILLE, 20th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Committee on Returns and Reports beg leave to report that they have examined the Reports from the different Tribes and Degree Councils placed in our hands by the G. C. of R., and find all correct, except those hereinafter mentioned.

* All the Reports of Tribes and Degree Councils have been received by your Committee, except Nos. 59, 63, 72, 95, 98, 114, 115, 119, 137, 143, and 146.

The receipts from different Tribes and Degree Councils for percentage, as far as received, amounts to 2836 fathoms 5 feet 7 inches.

* The following Tribes are deficient in the several amounts set opposite their numbers, viz: No. 83, 2 fathoms 5 feet; No. 105, 8 fathoms 3 feet 5 inches; No. 106, 9 feet; No. 124, 1 fathom; No. 132, 1 fathom 7 feet; and No. 144, 1 fathom 4 feet 5 inches.

In view of the incompleteness of the foregoing Reports, your Committee suggest that the G. C. of R. immediately correspond with the delinquents, and urge the forwarding of their reports; and where the Tribes are deficient in percentage he shall withhold the password until such deficiencies in percentage are received by him, and those Tribes, so deficient, be deprived of representation in this Great Council until the above is complied with.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

H. J. STONER,
DANIEL McGOWAN,
J. DAVID MILLER.

On motion, the report was received and recommendations adopted.

P. S. Miller presented the following:—

Resolved, That the next annual session of this Great Council, to be held in Flower Moon next, be held in the hunting grounds of the Tribes located at Lancaster City, Pennsylvania.

Rep. Holtzworth moved to strike out Lancaster, and insert Gettysburg.

Rep. Raub, No. 117, moved to insert Easton, which was lost.

The motion to strike out and insert Gettysburg, was lost.

The resolution was then adopted.

P. G. S. Knipe moved to extend the time for quenching the council fire, which was agreed to.

Committee on Law and Usage presented the following:—

POTTSVILLE, 20th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage respectfully report that they have had submitted to them amendments to the laws of the following Tribes:—

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* Reports and deficiencies have subsequently been received from several of these Tribes (see Table).—A. J. B.

Nos. 1, 2, 12, 17, 27, 44, 48, 50, 52, 66, 69, 73, 77, 83, 91, 106, 107, 116, 117, 121, and 139, which they have approved.

They have also examined full sets of laws for Nos. 29, 34, 58, 68, 103, 108, 123, 129, 133, 138, 140, 142, 143, 144, 146, and 149, which, after modifying and correcting in accordance with the decisions of the Great Council and the Constitution, they have approved.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

E. F. STEWART,
GEO. W. KREAMER,
C. WIESTENBERG.

On motion, the report was received.

Committee on Law and Usage presented the following:—

POTTSVILLE, 20th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage, to whom was referred that part of the Great Sachem's Report comprising Dispensations, Decisions, and Appeals, would respectfully submit, that after a careful examination they find that the Appeals received have been promptly referred to the Board of Appeals.

That part relating to Dispensations, your Committee are of the opinion that they have been for the best interests of the Tribes, and in accordance with the law and usage of the Order.

In reference to the Decisions rendered the Committee are reluctantly compelled to differ from the conclusions of the G. S. in the answer to the question propounded by Uncas Tribe, as not being in accordance with the law (see 22 Rules of Order), which says: "A motion to quench the council fire is always in Order, after the regular business has been gone through; which motion shall be decided without debate. If decided in the affirmative, it is not quenched until the Tribe is closed in due form." The Great Council has given to the Tribes a form to guide them in the transaction of the regular and necessary business of the Tribe; which order must be gone through with before the council fire can be quenched. If a motion to quench the council fire has been made and agreed to by the Tribe, no new business can be entertained, unless the motion to quench the council fire has been reconsidered, or by unanimous consent of the members present.

The answer to D. G. S. Shultz, in reference to visiting a Tribe upon a withdrawal card, is correct. A brother who has applied for and received a withdrawal card, is no longer a member of the Order; therefore cannot be admitted as a visitor into any Tribe. (See Secs. 2 and 5, Article VI, Constitution of G. C. of U. S.; also p. 257 Proceedings of G. C. of U. S., St. Louis Session, 378; also pp. 346 and 347 Proceedings of G. C. of U. S., Baltimore Session, 379).

The answer to D. G. S. M. J. Thomas, in reference to a member of the Hunter's degree serving as G. of F. or G. of W., is correct.

The answer to Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, is correct.

The answer to the question propounded by Iroquois Tribe, No. 42, is correct, and in accordance with the decisions and usage of the Order.

The answer to Kickenapawling Tribe, No. 60, as to the right of a Tribe to change its council sleep without altering their By-Laws, is not in accordance with the law, for the reason, that a council sleep is fixed by law, and therefore cannot be changed without the law is first amended, and the consent of the Great Sachem or Deputy obtained before the change can be completed.

The answer to the questions propounded by Standing Stone Tribe, No. 99, Mahoning Tribe, No. 77, and the Deputy from Huntingdon in reference to balloting for pale faces, is correct. The frequent repetition of this question is a matter of surprise to the committee, when the law is examined it being so plain that they cannot comprehend how any one can misunderstand it.

The answer given to Honayawus Tribe, No. 94, is correct; a member's business should not be allowed to go to wreck merely because the brother is unable to follow the hunt, when an order from the brother would keep everything right.

The answer to D. G. S. Shultz, in reference to giving the six moons password to a member of the order from Virginia, is correct. No member of another jurisdiction has the right to receive the password of this jurisdiction.

The action and decision of the Great Sachem, in the case of Venango Tribe, No. 137, relating to granting a withdrawal card to brother Larue, a former member of Moax Tribe, No. 5, of New Jersey, is correct, and in accordance with the law and usage of the Order.

The answer to the first question asked by the Deputy from Huntington, is correct; it having been decided at the last session of this Great Council.

The answer to the second question is in accordance with the letter of the law; yet it has been the usage in many of the Tribes to enact By-Laws requiring members to serve one term in an appointed position, which laws have been sanctioned by the committee, for the reason that it had a tendency to improve the members in the workings of the Tribe.

The action of the Great Sachem, in the case of H. W. Ville, of Eeshahkonee Tribe, No. 22, is correct; the Sachem of a Tribe cannot be too cautious in the exercise of the duties of his office, and particularly when the rights of the members are at stake; and where the duty is of such a nature as might stir up discord and dissension in the Tribe.

The Committee have also examined the report of D. G. S. G. S. S. James A. Moss, and find that the Dispensations granted have been in accordance with the law and usage of the Order.

In relation to the Decisions, the Committee would say that the answer to Wyalusing Tribe, No. 56, is correct. No Tribe can open its charter after its institution, it being contrary to the laws and usage of the Order.

The answer to Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, is correct, and in accordance with the law, and previous decisions of this Great Council.

The answer to Coaquanock Tribe, No. 49, is correct, and in accordance with the law, as no pale face can be adopted in a Tribe in this jurisdiction from another State, where the Order exists.

Hoping that the action of the Committee will meet with your approval, and congratulating the Great Council upon the flattering condition of our Order, we would offer the following resolution:—

Resolved, That the thanks of this Great Council are due, and they are hereby tendered to Great Sachem Schuh, and the other Great Chiefs and Deputies, for the faithful performance of the duties devolving upon them.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

E. F. STEWART,
G. W. KREAMER,
C. WIESTENBERG.

Rep. Higman moved that the report be received and the resolution adopted, which was agreed to.

Rep. Zane presented the following:—

Resolved, That the Representatives to the Great Council of the United States, be instructed to advocate the making of the semi-annual password general throughout the United States.

On motion, it was referred to the Representatives to the G. C. of U. S.

P. G. S. Knipe moved that the Great Chiefs be instructed to exemplify the unwritten work, in Seneca Wigwam this sleep. Adopted.

P. G. S. Wiestenberg made a statement at the request of Cohocsink Tribe, No. 126, in reference to the deficiency of said Tribe as reported by the Committee on Returns and Reports at last session.

Rep. Rulon moved it be referred to the Committee on Returns and Reports. Adopted.

Rep. Pierson, No. 73, requested that the returns of No. 73 made at the last session be examined, as they believe that they had overpaid their tax.

On motion, it was referred to Committee on Returns and Reports.

Council fire quenched in due form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

POTTSVILLE, 20*th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D.* 380.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled at the 2d run setting of the sun, and kindled the Council fire in due form. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

JAMES A. MOSS—Great Sachem.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOSEPH W. CLYMER—Great Junior Sagamore.
J. F. MADEIRA—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
JAMES B. ZIEGLER—Great Sannap.
H. J. STONER—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, 27, 28, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 37, 38, 39, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54, 58, 60, 61, 62, 65, 66, 68, 70, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 79, 80, 81, 82, 84, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 99, 102, 103, 104, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 116, 117, 120, 122, 123, 127, 131, 133, 136, 139, 140, 141, 142, 145, 148, D. C. 1, 4.

P. S. Deibert, No. 82, being in waiting, was admitted and instructed.

Rep. Taylor, No. 79, presented the following, which was adopted:—

Whereas, Since the last session of this Great Council, the Great Spirit has called to his hunting grounds P. G. S. Samuel Weaver; therefore be it,

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to draft resolutions of condolence, to be presented to his family and this Great Council.

Great Sachem appointed P. S.'s Taylor, Hollis, and Baer, as the committee.

Finance Committee presented the following report:—

POTTSVILLE, 20th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Finance Committee would respectfully report that they have examined the books of the G. C. of R. and G. K. of W., and find them correct as per statement here annexed:—

	fa.	ft.	in.
Receipts at session Cold Moon last	3311	3	4
" from G. C. of U. S.	226	1	3
" loan G. K. of W.	700	0	0
	4237	4	7
Paid out as per orders	3003	0	6
	1234	4	1
Receipts present session, percentage	2910	7	7
" " Charters	250	0	0
" " Dispensations	114	5	0
" " Sale of Proceedings . .	29	0	0
" " Books, Cards, &c. . . .	129	0	3
	4667	7	1

We have also examined the following bills, and approve the same:—

F. W. Thomas & Son, printing German Proceedings	119	6	1
John Benkert, translating	24	0	0
R. L. Dickson, filling Charters	10	5	0
Beverly Copes, binding Proceedings . . .	4	0	0
W. H. Hartley, Sec. Board of Appeals, postage, &c.	2	6	0
Wm. Smith, for Frame	2	2	5
Advertising notices of session	1	8	0
M. H. Gorham, rent and gas	53	0	0
T. K. Donnalley, G. G. of F., salary, expressage, &c.	30	7	5
F. H. Watt, Trunk	23	0	0
Adam Schuh, G. S. expenses	89	3	5
Postage	37	0	0
Express freight, stationery, &c.	15	4	6
A. J. Baker, G. C. of R., salary 400, expenses 13.75 .	413	7	5
" Advanced for supplies from G. C. U. S.	236	2	5
E. F. Stewart, Chairman, Law and Usage, postage .	2	0	5
" " mileage .	4	7	5
Wm. B. Eckert, printing Proceedings, &c. . .	244	2	5
Wm. G. Hollis, mileage, Finance Committee . .	4	7	5
Job Rulon, " " . .	4	7	5
Samuel Taylor, " " . .	4	7	5
J. David Miller, " Returns and Reports .	4	7	5
H. J. Stoner, " " .	4	7	5
D. McGowan, " " .	4	7	5
Wm. C. Probasco, " Board of Appeals .	4	7	5
James A. Moss, G. S. S., travelling expenses . .	13	7	5
John Rebman, G. J. S., " . .	26	8	5
Frank C. Knipe, G. P., " . .	13	7	5
Lewis C. Pierce, G. K. of W., " . .	8	2	5
George Metzel, G. G. of W., " . .	14	0	5
Lewis C. Pierce, loan and interest	724	5	0

The following amounts are due for mileage to Representatives:—

John H. Hartzel,	No.	1,	5	5	5
George Carnell,	"	3,	4	7	5
B. Markley,	"	4,	4	7	5
C. Wiestenberg,	"	5,	4	7	5
John R. Cantlin,	"	7,	4	7	5
Ira W. Campernell,	"	8,	4	7	5
S. Matt Friday,	"	12,	4	7	5
J. Wm. Batt,	"	13,	3	4	0
Henry Mayfarth,	"	14,	4	7	5
Oswald Heekman,	"	15,	17	7	5
Morris H. Gorham,	"	17,	4	7	5
Samuel M. Naylor,	"	18,	4	7	5
Samuel Wright,	"	19,	4	7	5
Samuel N. Foster,	"	20,	4	7	5
Randolph Supplee,	"	22,	3	7	5
George W. Fiss,	"	27,	4	7	5
E. W. O'Brian,	"	28,	6	0	0
James M. Davis,	"	30,	4	7	5
John L. Holtzworth,	"	31,	7	5	0
George W. Allen,	"	32,	4	7	5
M. V. B. Musselman,	"	33,	4	7	5
Henry Fite,	"	34,	4	7	5
James B. Ziegler,	"	37,	5	5	0
John W. Walters,	"	38,	4	7	5
James McGinnis,	"	39,	4	3	0
B. F. Kepner,	"	42,	7	2	0
Robert Sims,	"	43,	4	7	5
Fred Eiseman,	"	44,	3	7	5
George W. Kreamer,	"	45,	4	7	5
John C. Moore,	"	48,	4	7	5
Wm. B. Eekert,	"	49,	4	7	5
Isaac R. Roberts,	"	50,	4	7	5
A. B. Bishop,	"	51,	4	7	5
James Black,	"	54,	7	1	5
Charles W. Dopp,	"	60,	13	5	0
Martin Erb,	"	61,	4	7	5
J. H. Buek,	"	62,	5	5	5
Jacob R. Yentzer,	"	65,	3	7	5
Cyrus P. Tittle,	"	66,	13	5	0
J. D. O'Donnell,	"	68,	9	1	5
Emanuel Wilvert,	"	69,	2	0	0
Samuel Goodwin,	"	70,	4	7	5
John J. Pierson,	"	73,	4	7	5
W. M. Saylor,	"	74,	1	5	0
H. R. Bossert,	"	75,	2	7	5
Wm. Magill,	"	76,	4	7	5

Reese Evans,	"	77,	3	9	0
Samuel Ewing,	"	80,	8	5	0
Jorell L. Kelley,	"	81,	6	2	5
Wm. L. Zane,	"	84,	4	0	0
Wm. Mathues,	"	86,	6	0	0
Robert Parks,	"	87,	4	7	5
Wm. Heck,	"	88,	5	1	0
E. H. Gerry,	"	89,	6	5	0
Thomas Rasbridge,	"	90,		6	5
John Shultz,	"	91,	4	7	5
David Baucher,	"	92,	4	0	0
Thomas Ramsey,	"	93,	5	5	0
W. W. Barrett,	"	94,	3	5	0
Wm. Shires,	"	96,	5	0	0
Thomas M. Wimer,	"	99,	9	4	5
John A. Boyer,	"	102,	10	4	5
Charles S. McCoy,	"	103,	17	7	5
John T. Baer,	"	104,	4	7	5
Andrew Elliott,	"	106,	4	7	0
Joseph Phillips,	"	107,		6	0
C. C. Faber,	"	108,	5	7	5
H. C. Warfle,	"	109,	11	3	5
D. E. Frantz,	"	110,	5	7	6
James T. Carroll,	"	111,	17	7	5
Thomas C. Gummert,	"	112,	20	7	5
John Laird,	"	113,	4	7	5
Frank Wobensmith,	"	116,	4	7	5
Jacob F. Raub,	"	117,	5	3	5
A. T. Wenner,	"	120,	2	5	0
C. Eliis,	"	121,	3	3	0
Herman Kutsher,	"	122,	1	5	0
Richard Hopkins,	"	123,	1	6	0
E. C. Brown,	"	127,	6	0	0
J. E. Valentine,	"	128,	4	0	0
J. Burr Reddig,	"	131,	7	1	0
George S. Craighead,	"	133,	4	7	5
H. T. Bibighaus,	"	136,	3	1	5
Benjamin Franklin,	"	138,	4	7	5
Samuel Langham,	"	139,	4	7	5
Goswin Keiper,	"	140,	5	5	0
Lewis Hancock,	"	141,	5	5	0
John H. Reitz,	"	142,	20	2	5
Charles B. Higman,	"	145,	4	7	5
John Kemp,	"	148,	2	8	5
John Packwood,	"	149,	5	5	0
J. W. Clymer, D. C.	"	1,	4	7	5
H. W. Villee, "	"	4,	3	7	5

Your Committee would offer the following resolutions and ask their adoption:—

Resolved, That orders be drawn for the several bills reported correct.

Resolved, That an appropriation of six hundred and eighty fathoms be made to the Great Council of United States for per capita tax.

Resolved, That an appropriation of six hundred and fifty fathoms be made to the Great Council of United States for percentage.

Resolved, That the Great Sachem and G. C. of R. be instructed to draw orders for such Representatives as attend the session of the Great Council of United States, for three fathoms per diem, and those residing out of the city for their travelling expenses in addition, they returning all mileage received from the G. C. of U. S.

Resolved, That an appropriation of two hundred fathoms be made to the G. C. of R., to procure such supplies as may be required from the Great Council of United States.

Resolved, That the Great Sachem instruct the G. C. of R. to draw orders for such printing as may be necessary for the use of this Great Council.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

W. H. HARTLEY,
J. DAVID MILLER,
HENRY FITE.

On motion, the Finance Committee was directed to allow the G. K. of W. the amount of thirteen fathoms seven feet five inches as his expenses.

The first resolution was again read and adopted.

The second resolution was again read and adopted.

The third resolution was again read and adopted.

The fourth resolution being read, P. S. Hartley moved to insert after "Representatives" the words "residing out of the the City of Philadelphia," and to strike out from the word "and" to the word "for," which was adopted.

The resolution, as amended, was then adopted.

The fifth resolution was again read and adopted.

The sixth resolution was again read and adopted.

Committee on Returns and Reports presented the following:—

POTTSVILLE, 20th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Committee on Returns and Reports beg leave to submit the following report:—

That in the case of Cohocksink Tribe, No. 126, the Committee would request that the amount of three fathoms five feet be returned to the Tribe.

That in the case of Idaho Tribe, No. 73, we would report that we have examined the report of the Tribe, and find the amount as paid by the Tribe to be correct.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

F. WOBENSMITH,
GEORGE W. ALLEN.

On motion, the report was accepted and the recommendation adopted.

G. P. Madeira moved that an additional appropriation of one hundred fathoms be made to the Committee of Arrangements for the reception of the Great Council of United States, which was adopted.

Rep. Wobensmith presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That from and after the passage of this resolution, the G. C. of R. be directed not to furnish supplies to any Tribe unless the same is paid for in advance, and that he be held responsible for all furnished contrary to this resolution.

Rep. Higman moved that the G. G. of F. be directed to procure Representative badges up to No. 200, which was adopted.

On motion, the appeals from Nos. 31 and 33, reported by the Great Sachem, were referred to the Board of Appeals.

Reps. Evans, No. 77, and Phillips, No. 107, presented the following amendments to Constitution of Tribes:—

That Section 6, Article XIII, Constitution of Tribes, be so altered as to strike out the words after "had" on the sixth line, and insert, "If three or more black twigs are cast, he shall be declared rejected."

P. S. Probasco offered the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, In case the amendments to By-Laws offered on page 165 and adopted at this session, be approved by the Great Council of the United States, that they go into effect after the 1st sun of Flower Moon next.

Rep. Ziegler, offered the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That an appropriation of one hundred fathoms of wampum be made to P. G. S. Adam Schuh, for the purpose of defraying expenses incurred by him while acting as Great Sachem.

P. S.'s Foster, No. 20, and Schuh, No. 44, presented the following amendments to By-Laws of Great Council:—

Add as second paragraph to Section 1, Article XVI, the following: "At the session held in the Beaver Moon no legislation shall be had involving

an appropriation of wampum, or altering the Constitution or By-Laws of this Great Council, or Constitution of Tribes."

In Section 5 of same Article, add after the word "session" in third line, "held in the Flower Moon."

Rep. Langham moved to reconsider the vote adopting the resolution, instructing the Great Chiefs to exemplify the Unwritten Work in Seneca Wigwam on this sleep, which was adopted.

The resolution being again before the Great Council, Rep. Hopkins moved to strike out "Seneca Wigwam on this sleep" and insert "at once," which was adopted.

The resolution was then adopted as amended.

The Unwritten Work was then exemplified by P. G. S.'s Gorham, Stewart, and G. J. S. Clymer.

P. S. Probasco offered the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the thanks of the members of this Great Council are due, and they are hereby tendered to their brother Red Men of Seneca, Miami, Kickapoo, and Saukie Tribes, for the magnificent manner in which they have welcomed them to the hunting grounds of Pottsville.

The Board of Appeals presented the following report:—

POTTSVILLE, 20th Sun, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Board of Appeals, in accordance with instructions from the Great Council, offer the following:—

Resolved, That the action of Beaver Tribe, No. 62, whereby Allen Martin was expelled, be reversed, and that the said Tribe be directed to reinstate the brother to his former standing.

WM. C. PROBASCO, *Chairman.*

P. G. S. Conley moved that the kindling and quenching of Degree Council fires by Tribes, be referred by the Great Sachem to the Great Incohonee for his decision, which was adopted.

Rep. Warfle presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the thanks of this Great Council be tendered the Editors of the Miners Journal, for the very respectful manner in which they have placed us before the public.

P. G. S. Conley moved that the thanks of this Great Council be tendered to Seneca Tribe, No. 41, for the use of their Wigwam, which was adopted.

P. G. S. Conley moved that an appropriation of five fathoms be made to the Janitor, which was adopted.

The Council fire was then quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

RECEIPTS FROM BOOKS, CARDS, &c.

FURNISHED TO TRIBES.

No.	*fa.*	*ft.*	*in.*	*No.*	*fa.*	*ft.*	*in.*
4		1	5	93	1	5	0
14		4	5	100	1	0	0
17	1	5	0	102	1	5	0
18		4	5	103	1	0	0
19	3	7	5	104	1	8	0
20	1	5	0	108	6	0	0
27		7	5	113	1	8	0
28	1	5	0	114	1	8	0
29	5	8	0	115	1	0	0
31	2	0	0	118		3	0
32	5	0	0	122	3	0	0
34	18	4	0	127	3	7	5
38		9	0	129	3	4	3
45	2	0	0	130	1	8	0
48		7	5	132	1	5	0
49	2	7	5	133		9	0
50		1	5	134	1	9	0
57	5	0	0	137	4	8	0
59	6	0	0	138	1	8	0
64	1	8	0	140	3	2	5
66	2	0	0	141	1	8	0
73	3	0	0	144	1	0	5
76		9	0	145		9	0
78	3	7	5	147	4	5	0
84	3	6	0	148	1	5	0
86		9	0				
87	1	7	0		129	0	3

RECEIPTS FOR DISPENSATIONS.

G. S. Adam Schuh	7	5	0
G. S. S. James A. Moss	57	0	0
G. J. S. John Rebman	14	5	0
D. G. S. John Shultz	6	5	0
" Norris T. Smith		5	0
" John L. Holtzworth	2	5	0
" John A. Boyer	5	0	0
" M. J. Thomas	1	0	0
" Edward C. Thomas	1	5	0
" J. Oliver Gipple	3	5	0
" Thomas E. Weber	3	0	0
" Newton H. Bieber	1	0	0
" C. C. Faber	3	0	0
" J. M. Hutchinson	8	0	0
	114	5	0

ELECTION RETURNS FOR GREAT CHIEFS AND REPRESENTATIVES TO THE GREAT COUNCIL OF THE UNITED STATES.

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		J. A. Moss.	J. Rebman.	W. G. Hollis.	J. W. Clymer.	F. F. Snyder.	J. F. Madeira.	A. J. Baker.	C. C. Conley.	L. C. Pierce.	T. A. Winkworth	C. Wiestenberg.	M. H. Gorham.	A. Cameron.	J. D. Miller.	T. W. Brown.	W. C. Probasco.	T. K. Donnalley.	J. Dumbell.	J. B. Zeigler.	I. W. Bisbing.	J. D. Baker.	J. A. Boyer.	Wm. Aten.	J. C. Moore.	C. Naylor.	J. McGinnis.	J. M. Scott.	N. C. Gregory.	A. B. Flood.	R. T. Roberts.	S. Wright.	E. V. O'Neill.	A. B. Bishop.	T. O. Hill.	J. Beamish.	R. C. Smith.
Tecumseh	1	6	6	..	6	..	6	3	3	6	..	4	..	6	6	5	6	3	..	6	1	6	6	6	4	..	6	2	5	6	..	..	..	6	..	4	1
Metamora	2	18	18	..	18	..	18	17	1	17	1	17	1	17	1	18	18	..	17	17	3	14	2	18	..	18	17	2	..	1	..	17	17	17	17	1	16
Leni Lenape	3	2	2	1	1	..	2	2	..	..	2	2	..	..	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	2	2	2	2	1	2	..	2	1	1	1	..	1	..	1	..
Kuquenaku	4	6	6	..	6	..	..	3	3	6	..	5	2	2	1	4	3	2	2	2	4	1	1	3	5	5	3	1	4	2	6	5	3	6	6	6	5
Pocahontas	5	24	24	19	2	3	24	23	1	24	..	24	23	24	22	24	23	21	19	21	24	23	23	14	21	18	..	3	4	6	3	2	..	18	..	..	..
Wyoming	7	13	13	10	3	..	13	13	..	8	5	13	11	11	13	11	9	12	11	13	13	1	10	5	6	11	10	9	8	9	3	1	..	..	4	..	..
Shawnese	8	20	20	13	7	..	20	3	7	2	17	17	17	12	4	14	5	11	16	11	2	14	14	11	17	15	8	16	16	16	12	14	19	11	4	4	1
Susquehanna	12	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Perkiomen	13	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	2	..	2	2	2	2	..	2	2	2	2	2	..	2	2	..	2	2	..	2	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Mohawk	14	9	9	..	9	..	9	..	9	8	1	1	..	..	9	9	..	1	8	9	1	..	9	9	9	..	1	8	9	..	9	9	1	9	8	8	8
Pontiac	15	7	7	..	7	..	7	..	7	7	..	7	7	7	7	7	..	7	..	7	..	7	..	7	..	7	..	7	..	7	7	..	..	7	..	..	7
Chattahoochee	17	13	13	5	7	1	13	11	2	4	8	12	12	11	12	10	10	3	13	10	4	9	4	2	10	4	6	1	4	2	4	5	8	5	5	..	4
Pequod	18	29	29	4	9	14	29	22	6	17	8	26	20	22	25	26	27	26	15	27	22	21	14	25	26	5	20	4	25	3	6	8	12	1	2	3	1
Cherokee	19	18	18	2	1	15	18	10	7	10	8	5	3	7	14	6	3	6	2	5	2	8	14	14	16	15	10	11	17	14	17	18	8	17	15	16	8
Pawnee	20	4	4	..	4	..	4	3	1	4	..	3	..	3	3	3	3	..	..	3	3	..	3	3	..	3	3	..	..	3	..	3	..	..	..	3	4
Eeshahkonee	22	23	23	2	20	1	23	23	..	22	1	21	16	20	23	8	21	20	18	23	5	21	23	21	13	14	22	5	4	2	4	2	3	16	1	1	13
Black Hawk	26	10	10	7	1	2	10	..	10	10	..	6	7	10	10	9	10	7	4	8	..	8	9	9	10	4	..	3	1	3	10	..	9	..	10	..	1
Mohegan	27	17	17	..	17	..	17	..	16	17	..	4	16	16	8	14	6	17	17	15	1	12	8	6	13	13	..	..	16	..	8	12	17	13	..	10	9
Conestoga	28	6	6	..	6	..	6	6	..	6	..	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	..	6	6	..	6	6	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tuscarora	29	8	8	7	..	1	8	7	1	7	1	8	2	2	8	1	1	3	2	7	3	8	8	1	6	4	4	7	4	7	6	5	..	..	5	6	5
Seminole	30	9	9	..	9	..	9	3	6	9	..	9	7	9	..	4	1	9	1	8	2	7	6	9	8	2	4	4	7	5	9	7	..	9	..	4	..
Cayugas	31	10	10	7	3	..	10	9	1	9	1	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	9	10	..	10	8	4	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wissahickon	32	11	11	6	5	..	11	6	5	10	..	8	8	8	10	11	9	5	11	9	9	10	10	8	9	9	3	2	3	1	4	3	1	2	7	1	1
Wingohocking	33	12	12	..	12	..	12	..	12	4	8	12	12	8	12	..	12	12	12	12	..	..	..	..	12	..	..	..	12	..	12	12	12	1	12	12	..
Moscosco	34	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	1	1	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	1	..
Winnebago	35	3	3	..	3	..	3	3	..	3	..	..	1	1	2	3	3	3	..	3	1	3	3	3	..	2	3	3	3	3	..	..	3	2	..	..	..
Conewago	37	14	14	..	14	..	14	14	..	12	2	14	14	14	2	14	14	14	2	13	14	14	14	14	14	2	12	1	12	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sagoyewatha	38	8	8	3	5	..	8	1	7	8	..	4	7	8	7	7	8	8	7	7	6	6	7	7	6	6	1	2	2	2	2	1	4	..	3	..	..
Chiquesalungo	39	10	10	..	10	..	10	8	2	10	..	..	..	10	..	10	10	9	1	10	..	10	10	9	1	10	10	10	10	10	..	10	..	9	..	..	..
Seneca	41	4	4	..	4	..	4	3	1	4	..	4	4	4	4	4	4	1	4	3	4	3	3	4	4	4	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3
Iroquois	42	4	4	1	1	2	4	2	2	4	..	1	2	2	2	1	2	4	2	3	1	2	4	1	4	3	2	2	2	3	4	..	2	3	2	3	3
Narraganset	43	6	6	..	6	..	6	6	..	6	..	6	6	6	6	6	6	5	6	6	..	..	..	6	6	6	..	..	..	1	..	1	6	6	..	1	4
Red Jacket	44	22	22	8	10	4	22	21	1	21	1	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	6	22	..	..	22	22	6	..	..	..	4	..	..	6	..	22
Miantonomo	45	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..
Uppowoc	47	14	14	1	12	..	14	14	..	11	3	14	13	14	14	14	14	13	8	14	6	10	6	11	8	3	8	5	6	2	5	3	13	..	1	1	2
Powhatan	48	13	13	..	12	1	13	1	12	12	1	10	9	10	13	11	11	11	13	10	2	4	11	4	13	11	1	2	4	2	12	6	6	10	2	3	1

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Coaquanock	49	13	14	4	6	3	13	12	1	12	1	12	10	11	12	8	12	8	8	10	10	3	13	4	6	10	8	9	11	1	6	7	2	8	3	6	8
Miquon	50	13	13	12	..	..	13	12	1	11	1	11	11	13	10	12	13	1	13	12	2	10	7	6	3	6	5	9	4	7	12	5	13	..	2	3	4
Chippewa	51	20	20	1	19	..	20	1	19	18	2	18	2	4	6	6	12	18	2	6	3	18	7	12	19	6	5	16	11	12	18	16	17	20	11	19	11
Camanchee	52	9	9	8	..	..	9	7	1	8	..	9	5	8	9	6	9	9	1	8	7	5	7	9	9	2	3	4	8	1	3	4	5	4	..	..	..
Washita	53	12	12	1	11	..	12	1	11	11	..	11	2	12	2	11	12	12	11	..	..	..	12	12	..	12	1	12	9	3	12	..	..	12	2	10	11
Wyandotte	54	5	5	5	..	..	5	5	..	5	..	5	5	5	5	..	3	4	3	1	..	5	2	2	5	5	2	2	2	2	1	..	5	5	4	..	4
Wyalusing	56	6	6	6	..	..	6	..	6	6	..	..	..	..	6	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	6	6	6	5	..	5	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
Allegheny	57	9	9	..	9	..	9	9	..	..	9	9	8	8	8	9	9	9	8	9	9	..	9	8	1	8	..	9	..	9	1	1	..	..	1	1	1
Allequippa	58	4	4	..	4	..	4	4	..	4	..	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	..	4	4	..	4	4	..	4	4	4	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Otsego	59	4	4	..	4	..	4	4	..	4	..	..	4	4	4	4	..	4	..	4	..	4	4	4	..	..	4	4	4	4	4	4	..	..	..	..	..
Kickenapawling	60	6	6	..	6	..	6	3	3	6	..	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	..	6	6	..	6	6	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cornplanter	61	5	5	5	..	..	5	4	1	5	..	5	5	5	5	5	5	4	4	5	5	3	3	3	4	3	2	..	..	..	2	2	2	2	..	..	..
Beaver	62	3	3	..	3	..	3	..	3	3	..	..	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	..	1	3	3	2	3	2	2	3	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Ottowa	64	6	6	..	6	..	6	..	6	6	..	6	6	6	6	6	..	6	..	6	..	6	..	6	..	6	..	6	..	..	6	6	..	..	6	..	6
Kishacaquillas	65	4	4	..	4	..	4	4	..	4	..	..	4	4	4	4	..	4	..	4	..	4	..	4	..	4	..	4	4	4	4	4	4	..	..	..	..
Kiskiminitas	66	2	..	..	2	..	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ongpatonga	67	6	6	2	4	..	6	6	..	6	..	4	6	5	5	6	4	6	5	5	5	6	6	4	6	5	1	2	2	1	2	..	1	1	..	..	2
Shohomokin	69	3	3	3	..	..	3	3	..	3	..	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	..	3	3	..	..	3	..	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Penobscot	70	4	5	3	2	..	5	3	1	5	..	3	4	4	5	2	5	2	4	5	4	3	4	1	5	3	1	2	1	3	1	1	3	1	3	4	1
Mattawana	71	3	3	..	3	..	3	2	1	..	3	3	..	3	..	3	3	3	..	..	..	3	3	3	..	3	3	3	..	3	..	3	..	3	..	3	..
Idaho	73	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	..	..	2	2	1	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	..
Juniata	74	3	3	..	3	..	3	3	..	3	..	3	..	3	3	3	3	3	..	..	3	..	3	3	3	..	3	..	3	..	3	..	..	3	..	..	3
Winona	75	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	..	2	..	..	2	2	2	..	2	2	2	2	..	2	2	2	..	..	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..
Nevada	76	10	10	..	10	..	10	..	10	10	..	1	3	1	1	2	10	2	10	9	1	7	10	9	10	10	1	6	10	10	10	10	1	9	..	9	..
Mahoning	77	5	5	1	3	1	5	1	4	4	..	..	5	5	5	5	1	4	1	5	..	4	5	5	1	..	5	4	5	5	4	4	1	..	..	1	..
Codorus	78	4	4	..	4	..	4	4	..	4	..	4	4	4	4	4	4	..	4	4	..	4	..	..	4	4	..	4	..	4	..	..	4	4	..	..	..
Minnewa	79	5	5	..	5	..	5	..	5	3	2	4	4	4	3	3	1	4	1	2	3	3	2	1	4	2	2	1	5	3	4	4	5	5	3	2	1
Swatara	80	3	3	..	3	..	3	3	..	3	..	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	2	2	2	3	1	3	..	3	2	3	3	1	3	..	2	3	1	1
Tonnawanda	81	4	4	..	4	..	4	..	4	..	4	3	..	..	4	..	4	4	4	3	1	..	3	3	1	4	4	4	4	4	2	..	4	1	..	4	..
Miami	82	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	2	2	2	2	2	..	2	..	..	..
Onondaga	83	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	1	1
Saranac	84	4	4	..	4	..	4	2	2	4	..	..	4	4	4	4	4	4	2	..	..	..	4	4	..	4	3	..	4	..	4	1	3	3	..	4	..
Tamany	85	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lenni	86	4	4	..	4	..	4	..	4	..	4	2	3	4	4	4	3	4	..	1	1	2	2	..	2	2	1	3	3	3	1	3	3	2	1	..	3
Sioux	87	4	4	..	4	..	4	4	..	2	2	3	3	2	4	1	4	2	3	..	4	1	3	2	4	2	2	1	3	2	3	2	2	4	2	1	..

Kittatinny	88	3	3	3	..	..	3	3	..	3	..	3	3	3	3	3	..	3	..	3	..	3	3	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	3	3	..	..	3	3	3
Waunepewink	89	5	5	..	5	..	5	5	..	5	..	..	4	..	..	3	..	1	..	5	1	3	..	..	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	2	..	1	2	..	3
Kickapoo	90	4	4	..	4	..	4	..	4	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	4	4	4	4	..	..	..	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	..	4	4	..	..	..
Octoraro	91	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	..	2	..	..	2	2	2	2	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	2	2	..	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..
Wopwollopen	92	2	2	..	..	2	2	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Conewingo	93	4	4	..	4	..	4	4	..	4	..	4	4	4	..	4	4	4	..	4	4	4	4	4	4	..	4	..	4	..	4	..	..	..	..	3	..
Honayawus	94	3	3	3	..	..	3	..	3	3	..	3	3	3	3	..	3	3	3	..	..	3	..	3	..	3	..	3	3	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
Juskakaka	96	4	4	..	4	..	4	2	2	4	..	..	..	..	2	4	4	4	2	2	4	4	4	2	4	4	4	..	4	4	4	2	1	1	..	..	..
Malaeska	97	2	2	2	..	..	2	2	..	..	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Alpharetta	98	3	3	3	..	..	3	3	..	3	..	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Standing Stone	99	4	4	1	3	..	4	3	1	4	..	2	1	2	4	2	3	3	2	3	2	3	1	1	..	4	2	3	1	4	2	4	3	1	3	2	2
Yo Semite	100	2	2	..	..	2	2	2	..	2	..	1	2	..	2	..	2	..	1	2	1	2	..	2	..	2	1	2	1	..	2	1	2	1	2	..	1
Bald Eagle	102	2	2	..	2	..	2	1	1	1	..	1	1	1	..	..	2	2	..	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Youghiogheny	103	3	2	..	3	..	3	1	2	3	..	3	3	2	3	3	3	2	1	2	2	1	2	2	2	1	1	3	1	..	2	1	..	1	1	1	2
Absaraka	104	2	2	..	2	..	2	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	2	1	2	..	2	1	2	..	2	1	..	2	1	2	2	2	..	2	1	2
Chingachqook	106	1	1	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	1
Saukie	107	3	3	..	3	..	3	..	3	3	..	..	3	3	3	3	3	3	..	3	..	3	3	3	..	..	3	3	3	..	..	..	3	3	..	..	..
Conodogwinit	108	2	2	..	2	..	2	1	1	2	..	2	2	1	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..
Red Warrior	109	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	..	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Lackawanna	110	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nemocalling	112	2	2	2	..	..	2	2	..	..	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Osage	113	2	2	..	2	..	2	..	2	2	..	1	..	1	1	1	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	2	1	2	2
Chickasaw	114	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	2	..	2	..	2	2	..	..	2	2	..	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	..	..	2	2	..	..	2	..	2	2	2
Quockelinik	116	1	1	..	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	..
Teedyuscung	117	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Manaiung	118	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..
Kiowas	120	1	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Opekasset	122	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	..	2	..	2	..	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	..	2	2	..	2	..	2	..
Wampanoag	123	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	1
Mingo	124	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cohocksink	126	2	2	..	2	..	2	..	2	2	..	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	..	..	2	..	..	1	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..
Mohican	127	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..
Maconaquah	128	1	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cotoctin	129	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Minnequa	130	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sawquehanna	131	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	1
Nescopec	132	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	..	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	1	..
Wissinoming	133	2	2	..	2	..	2	..	2	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	2	..	2	2	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	1
Yemassee	134	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	1	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Weccacoe	135	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Shakahappo	138	1	1	..	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	2	2	2	2	2	..	..
Passyunk	139	2	2	..	2	..	2	2	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	2	..	2	2	2	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
Nay Aug	140	1	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	..	1	1	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mocaponaca	149	5	5	4	..	1	5	3	2	3	1	5	3	3	5	2	4	5	5	5	2	3	4	2	1	4	..	5	1	3	4	3	..	3	1	..	..
		659	658	172	427	56	653	397	246	529	114	484	443	505	480	486	492	493	395	517	291	410	462	437	394	410	316	298	346	282	321	276	261	301	186	191	206

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TRIBES.	No.	Amount of receipts.	Expended for relief of brothers.	Expended for funeral benefits.	Expended for other purposes.	Tax paid Great Council.	Number of members.	Past Sachems.	Adopted.	Rejected.	Suspended.	Expelled.	Reinstated.	Admitted by card.	Withdrawn by card.	Deceased.
		fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.										
Tecumseh	1	285 8 1	63 0 0	....	93 4 7	15 5 0	100	8	1	..	6	..	..	..	..	..
Metamora	2	642 9 8	221 5 0	165 9 7	224 2 2	34 8 0	212	29	6	1	25	..	..	..	..	2
Leni Lenape	3	802 9 0	10 0 0	....	680 3 2	69 5 0	230	2	70	4	..	..	..	1	..	..
Kuquenaku	4	213 0 4	140 0 0	....	89 5 5	11 8 5	79	14	..	..	6	..	..	..	1	..
Pocahontas	5	1215 5 0	668 0 0	225 0 0	350 3 0	50 5 5	317	41	6	..	12	..	..	..	..	1
Wyoming	7	267 4 1	68 2 5	....	93 6 0	20 7 5	105	17	10	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Shawnese	8	360 8 0	165 0 0	120 0 0	175 8 3	21 0 5	117	27	7	..	6	..	..	..	1	3
Susquehanna	12	385 8 7	172 1 1	150 0 0	323 0 0	28 5 5	127	2	19	..	..	..	1	..	1	1
Perkiomen	13	268 5 0	58 0 0	....	303 4 5	17 8 0	92	5	5	..	9	..	..	..	1	..
Mohawk	14	290 5 1	216 0 0	50 0 0	153 9 3	20 2 0	128	24	2	..	2	1	1	..	1	1
Pontiac	15	422 3 9	183 0 0	40 7 5	851 2 2	31 9 5	183	16	9	1	7	..	..	..	..	..
Chattahoochee	17	155 5 5	60 0 0	25 0 0	74 7 0	7 9 5	53	16	..	..	9	..	1	..	1	..
Pequod	18	1398 4 4	843 0 0	100 0 0	271 8 2	68 5 0	390	37	20	1	4	..	..	..	1	1
Cherokee	19	494 6 0	140 0 0	....	602 4 9	22 3 5	139	26	3	..	12	..	1	1	..	1
Pawnee	20	249 3 2	....	....	156 2 8	14 0 0	80	6	4	1	3	..	2	..	1	..
Eeshahkonee	22	572 4 1	448 0 0	20 0 0	183 8 3	41 7 0	258	40	6	1	11	..	..	..	..	..
Black Hawk	26	380 8 7	138 0 0	....	105 8 5	18 5 5	107	17	5	..	7	..	..	..	..	..
Mohegan	27	563 6 7	239 0 0	90 0 0	437 9 7	29 1 5	151	21	13	..	13	..	..	..	4	1
Conestoga	28	386 9 5	26 0 0	....	190 0 0	13 8 5	89	8	1	..	1	1	..	..	1	..
Tuscarora	29	500 2 3	132 0 0	....	223 5 2	31 2 5	165	13	13	1	6	1	4	..	9	1
Seminole	30	382 7 0	94 0 0	....	235 3 5	22 8 5	139	17	4	..	5	..	..	..	1	..
Cayugas	31	346 5 5	109 0 0	64 0 0	....	17 7 5	105	17	4	..	3	..	..	..	..	1
Wissahickon	32	277 5 8	214 0 0	40 0 0	352 4 2	20 0 0	90	14	13	..	9	..	1	..	..	1
Wingohocking	33	1044 6 7	433 0 0	200 0 0	640 7 1	56 6 5	271	14	32	..	..	1	1	..	..	2
Moscosco	34	433 5 0	....	....	340 0 0	60 2 0	98	3	91	1	..	..	2	5	..	..
Winnebago	35	217 5 8	6 0 0	....	....	13 1 5	71	5	5	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Conewago	37	761 8 9	306 0 0	....	993 5 6	39 1 0	244	23	5	..	19	..	..	..	..	..
Sagoyewatha	38	398 2 7	272 0 0	....	117 7 0	19 1 0	124	10	1	1	16	..	3	..	6	..
Chiquesalungo	39	419 7 5	99 5 0	137 1 0	267 7 9	20 5 0	130	10	2	..	4	1	..	..	..	2
Seneca	41	291 7 6	117 5 0	....	134 3 0	24 0 0	130	18	9	1	4	1	1	..	..	..
Iroquois	42	128 4 9	15 0 0	....	....	11 7 0	78	13	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	..
Narraganset	43	336 7 1	269 0 0	25 0 0	69 6 4	16 8 0	102	15	3	..	11	..	..	..	1	..
Red Jacket	44	606 0 6	268 0 0	180 0 0	200 3 3	31 2 5	195	22	4	..	9	..	..	..	1	2
Miantonomo	45	240 3 6	....	....	338 1 2	28 3 5	79	1	33	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Uppowoc	47	153 9 5	65 0 0	....	169 4 9	9 8 0	62	19	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Powhatan	48	440 4 8	222 0 0	25 0 0	298 1 9	26 4 0	146	20	9	..	12	..	..	..	..	1

Coaquanock	49	408	7	3	311	5	0	100	0	0	146	8	0	21	3	5	119	18	7	1	4	..	..	..	1	3
Miquon	50	280	8	1	48	0	0	30	0	0	334	2	4	13	1	5	81	17	2	..	8	..	..	..	1	..
Chippewa	51	456	7	6	184	0	0	75	0	0	224	6	9	25	3	5	141	23	8	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Camanchee	52	564	4	3	291	0	0	....			97	8	2	22	9	0	146	13	2	..	6	..	1	..	..	..
Washita	53	716	7	0	133	0	0	....			140	7	0	36	9	0	196	17	15	1	15	..	..	..	1	..
Wyandotte	54	283	4	6	48	0	0	50	0	0	190	0	5	12	3	5	59	7	7	1	1	..	9	..	..	1
Wyalusing	56	306	8	0	104	0	0	25	0	0	112	6	9	19	3	0	112	17	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Allegheny	57	765	3	3	77	0	0	159	7	5	249	7	4	33	9	5	203	13	7	1	12	1	..	..	2	..
Allequippa	58	251	6	3	21	9	0	....			181	2	5	11	8	0	62	5	5	..	4	..	1	..	..	..
Otsego	59	230	2	1	16	0	0	....			49	7	3	15	3	0	92	8	3	1	6	..	..	..	1	..
Kickenapawling	60	320	8	0	11	0	0	....			124	2	5	16	1	5	101	11	2	..	8	..	..	..	..	..
Cornplanter	61	495	3	0	110	6	5	75	0	0	309	6	5	16	2	0	108	7	..	..	12	..	1	..	..	1
Beaver	62	547	9	0	136	0	0	....			273	7	8	28	6	0	134	5	17	3	5	1	..	..	..	..
Wawatam	63	299	2	4	152	5	0	40	0	0	85	9	1	12	0	0	80	10	..	..	8	1	..	..	..	..
Ottowa	64	365	2	3	68	0	0	....			316	3	2	24	4	0	156	10	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kishacaquillas	65	88	5	7	....			....			35	9	5	7	1	0	44	6	1	..	6	1	2	..	..	..
Kiskiminitas	66	506	4	5	37	0	0	....			211	7	7	26	0	5	127	8	14	1	3	..	..	1	..	..
Ongpatonga	67	199	8	0	15	0	0	....			107	7	0	15	6	0	94	6	3	3	3	..	..	..	..	1
Arrapahoe	68	284	6	7	24	0	0	....			134	0	5	11	8	5	79	8	6	2	15	..	1	1	1	1
Shohomokin	69	180	7	8	60	0	0	....			390	3	6	12	8	0	62	6	7	..	..	1	1	..	2	..
Penobscot	70	433	7	9	102	0	0	....			266	1	7	22	9	0	136	11	5	..	16	..	1	..	2	1
Mattawanna	71	156	1	7	19	5	0	....			119	0	2	12	6	0	54	7	9	..	3	..	..	..	..	..
Tonnaluka	72	211	4	9	36	0	0	45	0	0	120	0	0	10	5	5	47	2	7	3	..	..	..	..	..	1
Idaho	73	669	8	4	320	0	0	25	0	0	205	3	0	39	0	5	217	6	13	..	19	..	..	..	2	..
Juniata	74	362	7	6	35	0	0	....			291	7	9	15	1	5	81	7	6	..	2	..	..	..	1	..
Winona	75	261	4	7	51	0	0	....			152	3	1	14	9	5	73	7	8	..	7	..	..	..	..	..
Nevada	76	711	0	3	129	0	0	....			402	2	7	38	1	5	221	11	10	..	13	..	..	..	1	..
Mahoning	77	416	3	4	163	0	0	....			198	7	6	19	4	0	106	5	7	2	1	..	1	..	..	..
Codorus	78	230	1	5	10	2	5	25	0	0	92	3	4	12	0	0	70	5	3	..	..	10	..	..	..	..
Minnewa	79	315	0	0	....			....			194	0	0	27	5	0	110	5	22	1	7	..	..	..	1	..
Swatara	80	83	0	1	10	5	0	....			....			6	0	5	37	5	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	..
Tonnawanda	81	389	1	3	37	0	0	....			173	4	3	13	1	5	71	6	5	..	13	..	..	..	..	..
Miami	82	136	4	0	48	0	0	53	3	3	58	6	2	8	8	5	59	4	..	..	9	..	..	..	..	..
Onondaga	83	124	9	5	15	0	0	....			62	1	3	9	7	0	48	5	5	2	17	..	..	..	..	..
Saranac	84	463	1	5	169	0	0	50	0	0	186	6	2	24	6	0	104	6	18	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Tamany	85	115	7	1	10	0	0	....			82	1	5	7	4	5	33	4	5	..	3	..	..	..	..	..
Lenni	86	276	8	0	146	0	0	....			162	7	5	20	2	5	115	5	6	1	12	..	..	..	1	1
Sioux	87	1070	5	8	90	0	0	90	0	0	304	6	5	68	8	5	349	6	33	3	17	..	2	..	1	1
Kittatinny	88	84	2	0	4	0	0	....			....			5	0	0	30	5	1	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Waunepewink	89	148	7	5	31	0	0	....			114	8	8	6	7	5	45	6	..	1	3	2	..	..	..	1
Kickapoo	90	136	2	5	30	0	0	30	0	0	96	8	2	10	0	0	60	6	2	1	4	1	..	..	1	..
Octoraro	91	488	3	7	207	0	2	....			224	0	3	28	1	5	131	4	17	..	16	..	..	..	1	..
Wopwollopen	92	249	0	6	....			....			78	1	1	19	4	5	113	5	5	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Conewingo	93	535	5	3	230	7	5	....			97	8	8	26	3	0	142	6	10	..	18	..	..	1	..	..
Honayawus	94	159	9	3	80	0	0	....			166	1	5	10	2	0	58	4	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..

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TRIBES.	No.	Amount of receipts.	Expended for relief of brothers.	Expended for funeral benefits.	Expended for other purposes.	Tax paid Great Council.	Number of members.	Past Sachems.	Adopted.	Rejected.	Suspended.	Expelled.	Reinstated.	Admitted by card	Withdrawn by card.	Deceased.
		fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.										
Otzinachson	95	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Juskakaka	96	161 8 0	22 0 0	....	....	10 0 5	37	4	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Malaeska	97	80 5 0	....	....	115 5 2	3 0 5	17	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Alpharetta	98	25 5 0	26 4 0	.....	11 8 5	4 1 0	24	5	1	..	11	..	..	..	..	1
Standing Stone	99	224 7 5	20 5 0	....	173 8 6	15 4 5	63	5	12	2	..	..	..	..	1	..
Yo Semite	100	267 7 6	14 0 0	....	163 1 4	9 6 0	64	3	..	..	8	1	..	..	2	..
Uncas	101	71 7 7	....	15 0 0	69 1 4	9 0 5	57	3	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	..
Bald Eagle	102	429 9 0	8 0 0	....	317 6 5	16 0 5	67	3	12	4	3	..	..	1	2	..
Youghiogheny	103	392 9 9	128 0 0	....	111 0 7	15 9 5	83	3	7	1	17	..	1	..	2	1
Absaraka	104	525 4 6	108 0 0	....	284 9 8	27 1 0	155	4	11	..	19	..	..	..	5	3
Navajo	105	158 8 3	10 0 0	....	....	15 5 5	87	3	5	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Chingachqook	106	279 1 0	116 0 0	78 0 0	175 8 5	14 1 0	80	3	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Saukie	107	429 0 0	81 7 9	60 0 0	282 0 6	24 8 0	152	4	4	..	5	..	..	..	1	1
Conodogwinit	108	296 8 0	24 0 0	....	167 8 1	17 4 0	76	2	12	..	1	..	1	..	..	..
Red Warrior	109	445 3 4	....	25 0 0	170 0 0	18 8 0	92	3	10	2	4	1	..	..	..	..
Lackawana	110	258 8 8	14 0 0	....	280 0 5	12 4 0	56	3	8	1	3	..	1	..	1	..
Minnehaha	111	266 7 6	....	....	....	12 5 5	57	3	8	4	..	..	..	..	2	..
Nemocalling	112	152 8 0	119 0 0	....	115 1 0	11 9 0	56	3	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Osage	113	368 9 9	23 0 0	....	278 9 7	27 4 5	123	3	18	..	..	..	..	1	8	1
Chickasaw	114	268 7 2	....	....	116 7 5	15 7 5	75	3	9	1	2	..	..	1	..	..
Itah	115	94 7 9	....	....	122 8 5	....	40	2	6	..	2	..	..	..	2	..
Quoekelinik	116	328 3 7	....	....	141 1 0	29 5 5	107	3	27	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Teedyuscung	117	136 8 9	....	....	97 3 3	10 2 0	68	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Manaiung	118	427 2 5	23 0 0	....	59 8 2	28 0 0	140	4	14	..	1	..	..	..	1	..
Wahoo	119	149 5 0	30 0 0	....	....	14 1 0	84	3	3	2	..	..	..	..	1	..
Kiowas	120	222 1 0	....	20 0 0	134 7 7	8 3 5	49	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Catawissa	121	102 2 5	....	....	84 5 0	8 1 5	41	1	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Opekasset	122	147 2 6	....	....	105 0 5	9 1 5	41	3	6	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
Wampanoag	123	116 5 2	12 0 0	....	204 8 0	6 8 5	39	2	2	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Mingo	124	62 7 8	....	....	77 0 4	4 7 5	35	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Manitobah	125	94 9 5	....	....	....	7 8 5	29	2	7	1	7	..	..	..	..	..
Cohocksink	126	290 3 3	12 0 0	50 0 0	108 9 5	14 4 0	66	2	9	..	5	..	..	..	..	1
Mohican	127	344 6 4	....	....	....	18 9 5	83	2	13	3	..	..	..	2	..	..
Maconaquah	128	465 7 0	15 0 0	....	....	13 5 0	50	2	12	2	..	..	..	1	..	..
Catoctin	129	204 4 4	12 0 0	....	170 3 9	14 5 5	57	1	12	1	..	..	..	1	1	..
Minnequa	130	73 9 0	10 0 0	....	38 1 3	7 0 5	37	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Sawquehanna	131	80 0 5	....	....	128 2 5	5 9 5	33	2	2	..	1	..	..	..	1	..
Nescopec	132	424 2 9	27 0 0	60 0 0	303 3 2	29 1 0	164	2	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wissinoming	133	174 8 2	20 0 0	25 0 0	104 4 8	16 1 0	51	2	16	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Yemassee	134	174 7 0	....	....	122 7 6	8 6 0	44	2	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Weccacoe	135	121 5 0	35 0 0	....	83 5 8	11 1 0	51	1	6	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Quittapahilla	136	145 0 0	....	....	194 5 3	12 4 0	56	2	8	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Venango	137	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Shakahappo	138	180 9 0	....	....	125 8 7	15 0 0	60	2	12	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Passyunk	139	615 8 1	18 0 0	....	274 7 4	72 1 0	194	3	86	1	..	..	..	..	4	..
Nay Aug	140	206 3 5	9 0 0	....	301 9 9	12 4 5	53	2	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Panooka	141	246 4 5	....	....	....	13 0 0	50	1	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Accomac	142	797 2 2	....	....	483 2 5	28 5 0	50	1	42	4	..	..	..	8	..	..
Monongahela	143	821 9 7	....	....	....	42 9 0	66	1	66	4	..	..	..	..	..	..
Massasoit	144	458 6 4	....	....	455 5 2	41 2 0	68	1	62	2	..	..	..	9	3	..
Poutaxet	145	331 2 4	....	....	305 3 7	27 2 0	48	5	40	..	..	..	..	8	..	..
P'Sskemuquohiki	146	476 8 0	....	....	417 3 7	32 5 0	50	1	50	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
French Creek	147	886 9 0	....	....	562 5 0	50 2 5	85	1	75	1	..	..	..	10	..	..
Shickalamy	148	494 7 5	....	....	338 0 3	48 7 5	75	1	75	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mocaponaca	149	265 9 5	....	....	197 7 3	27 3 5	49	6	40	2	..	..	..	9	..	..
Red Cloud	150	158 7 6	....	....	....	11 2 0	18	1	17	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Mahanoy	151	140 0 0	....	....	109 9 4	37 5 0	75	..	74	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Leni Lenape D. C.	1	97 0 0	20 0 0	....	46 8 5	5 4 0	36	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Algonquin D. C.	2	82 2 5	41 0 0	....	21 2 5	3 7 5	25	..	3	..	3	..	..	..	..	..
Pocahontas D. C.	3	107 2 2	84 0 0	50 0 0	23 0 5	6 9 0	46	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
St. Tammany D. C.	4	192 0 0	10 0 0	....	30 0 0	10 5 0	70	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Delaware D. C.	5	79 3 0	....	....	55 9 5	4 0 5	27	..	27	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

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TRIBES.	NO.	SLEEP.	LOCATION.	PLACE OF MEETING.	CHIEF OF RECORDS.	POST OFFICE ADDRESS.
Tecumseh	1	Thursday	Norristown	....	John H. Hartzell	Norristown.
Metamora	2	Wednesday	Lancaster	Fulton Hall, Prince Street	John M. Kempf	Lancaster, No. 21 N. Mary St.
Leni Lenape	3	Friday	Philadelphia	Corner Second and Susquehanna Avenue	Isaac A. Davis	Diamond and Kressler Sts.
Kuquenaku	4	Thursday	"	Wm. Penn Hose House, Frankford Road	Gotlieb Ubele	905 North Third Street.
Pocahontas	5	Thursday	"	N. W. cor. Fourth and Walnut Sts	Fr. Aug. Buchman	610 Hallowell Street.
Wyoming	7	Wednesday	"	" " "	Jacob L. Reiff	1803 South Fourth Street.
Shawnese	8	Friday	"	" " "	C. A. Winkworth	1237 Market Street.
Susquehanna	12	Friday	Harrisburg	No. 304 North Second Street	T. P. Montgomery	7 S. Third St., Harrisburg.
Perkiomen	13	Thursday	Phœnixville	Sons of Temperance Hall	Frederick B. Shunk	Phoenixville.
Mohawk	14	Friday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	John H. Passau	1205 Alder Street.
Pontiac	15	Wednesday	Pittsburg	No. 67 Fifth Avenue	Oswald Heckmann	Box 546.
Chattahoochee	17	Wednesday	Philadelphia	Assistance Hall, Sixth and Coates Sts	J. B. Flemming	1206 North Front Street.
Pequod	18	Thursday	"	Mechanics' Hall, 6th and Germantown Av.	J. Knight	2207 North Fourth St.
Cherokee	19	Thursday	"	No. 1135 Parrish Street	Joseph P. Young	1527 N. Twenty-Second St.
Pawnee	20	Saturday	"	605 Arch Street	George Bertram	2130 Summer Street.
Eeshahkonee	22	Monday	Lancaster	Fulton Hall, Prince Street	Peter C. Hensel	E. King St., Lancaster.
Black Hawk	26	Tuesday	Philadelphia	Norris and Sepviva Streets	Robert H. Kinkead	Rear 88 Laurel Street.
Mohegan	27	Monday	"	N. W. cor. Eighth and Spring Garden Sts	E. F. Stewart	1546 N. Thirteenth Street.
Conestoga	28	Tuesday	Williamsport	Morse's Hall	Geo. W. Klump	Williamsport.
Tuscarora	29	Monday	Chester	Penu Building, cor. Third and Market Sts.	Wm. Kelly	Chester, Del. Co. Box 253.
Seminole	30	Tuesday	Germantown	Temperance Hall, Mill St	Francis Rodbard	188 Haines Street.
Cayugas	31	Friday	Gettysburg	McConaughy's Hall	Wm. B. Meals	Gettyshurg.
Wissahickon	32	Tuesday	Philadelphia	No. 1530 Ridge Avenue	Samuel L. Stem	1521 Garnet Street.
Wingohocking	33	Friday	Frankford	Odd Fellows' Hall	Geo. W. Hickey	4410 Trenton Avenue.
Moscosco	34	Friday	Philadelphia	Corner Thirty-Seventh and Market Sts	Henry Fite	3710 Warren Street.
Winnebago	35	Tuesday	Altoona	Shannon's Hall	Daniel G. Weidel	Altoona, Box 189.
Conewago	37	Wednesday	York	Washington Hall	John Hays	York.
Sagoyewatha	38	Monday	Philadelphia	Girard Avenue and Charlotta Street	George M. Brooke	1207 Savery Street.
Chiquesalungo	39	Tuesday	Columbia	Odd Fellows' Hall	B. F. Mullen	Columbia, Box 81.
Seneca	41	Thursday	Pottsville	Town Hall	Joseph C. Holt	Pottsville, Box 437.
Iroquois	42	Monday	Mifflintown	....	Ben F. Kepner	Mifflintown, Juniata Co.
Narraganset	43	Friday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	R. S. Monroe	237 Girard Avenue.
Red Jacket	44	Friday	Lancaster	Fulton Hall, Prince Street	Henry Shmitt	140 Mulberry Street.
Miantonomo	45	Wednesday	Philadelphia	Thirteeuth and Girard Avenue	Geo. W. Kreamer	510 North Eleventh Street.
Uppowoc	47	Tuesday	West Chester	S. W. cor Gay and High Sts	Norris T. Smith	Box 350, West Chester.
Powhatan	48	Thursday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	John C. Moore	952 Lawrence Street.
Coaquanock	49	Friday	"	Broadway Hall, Broad and Spring Garden.	Wm. H. Pool	1421 Barclay Street.
Miquon	50	Wednesday	"	Odd Fellows' Hall, Ridge Avenue & 23d St.	Wm. G. Hollis	1718 Woodstock Street.
Chippewa	51	Wednesday	"	Corner Tenth and South Streets	J. T. Akin	1015 Clement Street.

Camanchee	52	Monday	Philadelphia	G. I. Eng. House, Allen ab. Frankford R'd.	Andrew J. Miles	1253 Palmer Street.
Washita	53	Saturday	Conshohocken.	Stemple's Hall	John P. Armitage	Conshohocken, Box 47.
Wyandotte	54	Friday	Oxford	Central Avenue and Locust Street	James Black	Oxford, Chester County.
Wyalusing	56	Friday	Philadelphia	Odd Fellows' Hall, Falls of Schuylkill	Thomas Leask	Falls of Schuylkill.
Allegheny	57	Monday	Allegheny City.	N. E. cor. East and First Sts	Christian Haag	41 Perry Street.
Allequippa	58	Friday	Pittsburg	No. 67 Fifth Avenue	W. S. McDowell	Rear 109 Fourth Avenue.
Otsego	59	Friday	Mount Joy	....	Frank G. Pennell	Mount Joy.
Kickenapawling.	60	Saturday	Johnstown	Clinton and R. R.	Edward C. Thomas.	Johnstown, Cambria Co.
Cornplanter	61	Monday	Harrisburg	No. 304 North Second St.	Conrad Miller	River Alley near Pine St.
Beaver	62	Tuesday	Norristown	Thomas Hall, Main Street	Wm. Bate, Jr.	Norristown.
Wawatam	63	Thursday	Roxborough	Odd Fellows' Hall	Charles F. Hardick	Roxborough.
Ottowa	64	Saturday	Birmingham	Druid's Hall, corner Carson and McKee	Gustav Espy	Buchanan P. O., Box 295.
Kishacaquillas	65	Saturday	Conestoga C'r.	....	Benj. F. Hookey	Conestoga C'r, Lanc. Co.
Kiskiminitas	66	Thursday	Johnstown	Clinton and R. R.	Edward Peters	Johnstown, Box 484.
Ongpatonga	67	Friday	Lewistown	Dorcas and Water Streets	John Clarke	Lewistown.
Arrapahoe	68	Thursday	Huntingdon	Red Men's Hall	J. Oliver Gipple	Huntingdon.
Shohomokin	69	Thursday	Sunbury	....	Peter F. Hower	Sunbury.
Penobscot	70	Thursday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	Wm. W. Shepherd	925 Poplar Street.
Mattawana	71	Tuesday	McVeytown	....	Edmund Conrad	McVeytown.
Tonnaluka	72	Wednesday.	Irwin Station.	....	Samuel E. Plough	Irwin Station, W. Co.
Idaho	73	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	Southwark Library Hall, 2d and German	Robert A. Shaw	330 German Street.
Juniata	74	Thursday	Reading	322½ Penn Street	W. M. Saylor	517 Penn St., Reading.
Winona	75	Thursday	Pottstown	Market Hall	H. R. Bossert	Pottstown, Mont. Co.
Nevada	76	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	Central Hall, Frankford Road and Master.	John F. Little	45 North Second Street.
Mahoning	77	Thursday	Danville	Montgomery's Building, Mill St.	Henry A. Kneibler	Danville, Box 416.
Codorus	78	Tuesday	York	Hartman's Building, Centre Square	Henry Schum	York.
Minnewa	79	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	605 Arch Street	G. W. Livars	201 Willow Street.
Swatara	80	Monday	N. Hamilton	....	W. M. Jackson	Newton Hamilton, M. C.
Tonnawanda	81	Wednesday.	Media	Corner of State and Orange Streets	Jorell L. Kelley	Media, Box 113.
Miami	82	Tuesday	Cressona	....	Wm. H. Cloak	Cressona.
Onondaga	83	Monday	Coatesville	Masonic Hall	L. H. Humphreys	Coatesville, Chester Co.
Saranac	84	Wednesday.	Easton	S. W. cor. Centre Square	James D. Smith	Phillipsburg, N. J.
Tamany	85	Wednesday.	Altoona	Shannon's Hall	George Bleiler	Altoona, Box 453.
Lenni	86	Thursday	Lima	....	Charles R. Yarnall	Lima, Delaware Co.
Sioux	87	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	Sixth and Christian Streets	Francis B. Black	203 Christian Street.
Kittatinny	88	Wednesday.	Marysville	....	Wm. Martin	Marysville.
Waunepewink	89	Monday	Shrewsbury	....	Geo. W. Folckemmer	Shrewsbury, Box 5.
Kickapoo	90	Wednesday.	Gordon	....	David D. Phillips	Gordon.
Octoraro	91	Tuesday	Harrisburg	No. 304 North Second Street	John R. Coekly	1010 Ridge Road, Harrisburg.
Wopwollopen	92	Wednesday.	Berwick	Odd Fellows' Hall	M. Thornton	Berwick.
Conewingo	93	Friday	York	Washington Hall	Wm. O. Goodling	York, 118 South Queen St.
Honayawus	94	Tuesday	Bloomsburg	....	Henry Shipton	Bloomsburg.
Otzinachson	95	Monday	Lock Haven	....	Julius Newman	Lock Haven.
Juskakaka	96	Thursday	Duncannon	Odd Fellows' Hall	Philip F. Michener	Duncannon.
Malaeska	97	Wednesday.	Clarion	....	T. B. Richard	Clarion.

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Alpharetta	98	Thursday	Millerstown	....	W. A. Meminger	Millerstown.
Standing Stone	99	Tuesday	Mapleton	....	Albert M. Parker	Mapleton.
Yo Semite	100	Monday	Glen Rock	....	Wm. Boeckel	Glen Rock.
Uncas	101	Monday	Waynesboro	....	John B. Russell	Waynesboro'.
Bald Eagle	102	Thursday	Tyrone	....	John A. Boyer	Tyrone, Box 316.
Youghiogheny	103	Wednesday	Birmingham	Druid's Hall	Robert D. Beck	Buchanan P. O.
Absaraka	104	Tuesday	Philadelphia	Corner Thirty-Seventh and Market Sts	J. N. Lytle	3517 Lancaster Avenue.
Navajo	105	Tuesday	Scranton	105 Lackawanna Avenue	Geo. M. Silsbee	Scranton, Lock Box 451.
Chingachgook	106	Monday	Mauch Chunk	Odd Fellows' Hall.	Jacob Sandel	Mauch Chunk.
Saukie	107	Tuesday	Ashland	Corner Third and Centre Streets	John D. Bowen	Ashland.
Couodogwinit	108	Thursday	Carlisle	Volunteer Building, S. E. cor. Square	Saml. Kronenberg	Carlisle.
Red Warrior	109	Tuesday	Philipsburg	....	Edward Runk	Philipsburg, Centre Co.
Lackawanna	110	Thursday	Plymouth	Odd Fellows' Hall	E. D. Barthe	Plymouth.
Minnehaha	111	Tuesday	Brookville	....	Geo. R. Barrett	Brookville.
Nemocalling	112	Wednesday	Brownsville	Market Street	Robert McKinley	West Brownsville.
Osage	113	Thursday	Philadelphia	Kater Hall, Fifteenth and South Sts	Alex. R. Stewart	713 South Sixteenth St.
Chickasaw	114	Thursday	Charlestown	....	Jonathan R. Wier	Pickering P. O.
Itah	115	Friday	Allegheny City	161 Federal Street	Wm. J. Freeborn	118 Ridge Street.
Quoekelinik	116	Wednesday	Philadelphia	313 North Twentieth Street	Wm. M. James	2131 Evergreen Street.
Teedyuscung	117	Tuesday	Mount Bethel	....	Irwin Eyer	Mount Bethel.
Manaiung	118	Friday	Manayunk,	A. M. Hall	Samuel Grow	309 Green Lane.
Wahoo	119	Saturday	Kingston	....	John McConoghy	Kingston.
Kiowas	120	Monday	Hazelton	Hazle Hall	A. T. Wenner	Hazleton.
Catawissa	121	Monday	Catawissa	Corner of Second and Main Streets	Joseph Walter	Catawissa.
Opekasset.	122	Saturday	Reading	Penn Street, between Seventh and Eighth.	Jacob H. Scheufele	834 N. Eighth St., Reading.
Wampanoag	123	Friday	Audenried	....	S. D. Watkins	Audenried.
Mingo	124	Tuesday	Beavertown	....	Isaac D. Conrad	Beavertown.
Manitobah	125	Wednesday	Nazareth	....	J. J. Maus	Nazareth.
Cohocksink	126	Thursday	Philadelphia	Fifth and Thompson Streets	And. Weingartner	1131 Galloway Street.
Mohican	127	Monday	Bristol	Corner of Mill and Pond Streets	Thos. B. Douglass	Bristol.
Maconaquah	128	Monday	Wilkesbarre	127 Market Street	G. S. Overton	Wilkesbarre, Box 107.
Catoctin	129	Monday	Littlestown	Brant's Hall	Hanson O. Harmer	Littlestown.
Minnequa	130	Thursday	Williamsport	Corner Arch and Willow Streets	C. L. Adams	Newberry P. O.
Sawquehanna	131	Thursday	Shippensburg	....	James A. Fegely	Shippensburg.
Nescopec	132	Wednesday	Laurel Run	....	Alex. C. Johnson	Wilkesbarre.
Wissinoming	133	Wednesday	Philadelphia	Pennsylvania Avenue and Coates St	Geo. S. Craighead	N. E. cor. 23d and Collowhill.
Yemassee	134	Monday	Ashland	N. W. cor. Third and Centre Streets	Jeremiah W. Payne	Ashland.
Weccacoe	135	Friday	Philadelphia	Pine Street above Second	E. F. Dieterichs	4221 Ludlow Street.
Quittapahilla	136	Thursday	Lebanon	Odd Fellows' Hall	H. T. Bibighaus	Lebanon, Box 14.

Venango	137	Friday	Oil City	Odd Fellows' Hall	A. C. Weaver	Box 257, Venango City.
Shakahappo	138	Wednesday.	Frankford	Odd Fellows' Hall	Milton Frederick	4445 Main Street.
Passyunk	139	Friday	Philadelphia	Southwark Library Hall, 2d and German.	Latimer B. Bisbee	Rear 618 Marriott Street.
Nay Aug	140	Thursday	Scranton	105 Lackawanna Avenue	August Rieke	Scranton, Box 518.
Panooka	141	Wednesday.	Scranton	Co-operative Building, Hyde Park	Wm. M. Reese	Hyde Park.
Aeeomae	142	Saturday	Belle Vernon	....	J. H. Lewis	Belle Vernon.
Monongahela	143	Thursday	Dravosburg	....	E. Hegen	Dravosburg.
Massasoit	144	Friday	Philadelphia	605 Arch Street	John C. Hinds	N. E. cor. 7th and Chestnut.
Poutaxet	145	Wednesday.	"	Friendship Hall, Norris and Sepviva Sts.	Harry Buscher	726 E. Norris Street.
P'Sskemuquohiki	146	Friday	Brady's Bend	....	Richard Simons	Catfish.
Freneh Creek	147	Wednesday.	Franklin	....	G. B. Fry	Franklin.
Shickalamy	148	Friday	Shamokin	Odd Fellows' Hall	Henry Reed	Shamokin.
Mocaponaca	149	Wednesday.	Chester	Corner Second and Kerlin Streets	B. F. Bucha	Chester.
Red Cloud	150	Wednesday.	Roxbury	....	S. Sentman	Roxbury.
Mahanoy	151	Monday	Mahanoy City	Corner Centre and Main Streets	John J. Mathias	Mahanoy City.
Chillisquaqua	152	Monday	Northumberl'd	....	J. Porter Dunham	Northumberland.
Wawenoe	153	Tuesday	Watsontown	....	Ambrose S. Lamm	Watsontown.
Leni Lenape D.C.	1	2d & 4th Tu.	Philadelphia	S. W. cor. Tenth and Filbert Sts	Joseph W. Clymer	1022 Wharton Street.
Algonquin D. C.	2	2d & 4th Th.	York	Washington Hall	John Hays	York.
Pocahontas D. C.	3	2d Thursday	Philadelphia	N. W. cor. Fourth and Walnut Sts	John H. Passau	1205 Alder Street.
St. Tammany D.C.	4	2d & 4th Th.	Lancaster	Fulton Hall	H. W. Villee	244 South Queen Street.
Delaware, D. C.	5	1st & 2d Sat.	Easton	S. W. corner Center Square	James D. Smith	Phillipsburg, N. J.

The Great Sachem has made the following appointments as

DEPUTY GREAT SACHEMS.

COUNTIES.	D. G. S.	POST OFFICE ADDRESS.
Allegheny and Westmoreland,	G. S. S. John Rebman,	No. 58, Pittsburg.
Adams, ...	John L. Holtzworth,	" 31, Gettysburg.
Berks and Lebanon, . .	T. E. Weber,	" 74, Reading.
Blair and Centre, . . .		
Chester, ...	H. C. Baldwin,	" 47, West Chester.
Clarion, Jefferson, Armstrong,	T. B. Richard,	" 97, Clarion.
Carbon, ...	R. Hopkins,	" 123, Audenried.
Cambria, ...	Edward C. Thomas,	" 60, Johnstown.
Columbia, ...	W. W. Barrett,	" 94, Bloomsburg.
Dauphin, ...	John Shultz,	" 91, Harrisburg.
Delaware, ...		
Franklin and Cumberland,	C. C. Faber,	" 108, Carlisle.
Fayette and Washington,	Thomas C. Gummert,	" 112, Brownsville, Fayette.
Huntingdon, ...	A. B. Flood,	" 68, Huntingdon.
Juniata, Mifflin, and Snyder,	Isaac Coffman,	" 42, Patterson, Juniata.
Lancaster, ...	Wesley W. Upp,	" 39, Columbia.
Lycoming and Clinton, .	J. W. Whitman,	" 28, Williamsport.
Luzerne, ...	J. E. Valentine,	" 128, Wilkesbarre.
Montour, ...	J. C. Millhouse,	" 77, Danville.
Montgomery, ...	James C. Carter,	" 53, Conshohocken.
Northampton, ...	Dr. J. F. Raub,	" 117, Mount Bethel.
Northumberland, . .	Emanuel Wilvert,	" 69, Sunbury.
Perry, ...	John A. Shearer,	" 96, Duncannon.
Schuylkill, ...	M. J. Thomas,	" 82, Cressona.
Venango, ...	Harry A. Plance,	" 147, Franklin.
York, ...	James B. Ziegler,	" 37, York.

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IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

GREAT COUNCIL OF PENNSYLVANIA.

PHILADELPHIA, 16*th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D.* 381.

Great Council of Pennsylvania, Improved Order of Red Men, assembled in regular session, at the 10th run rising of the sun, and kindled their Council fire in ample form. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

JAMES A. MOSS—Great Sachem.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOSEPH W. CLYMER—Great Junior Sagamore.
J. F. MADEIRA—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
JAMES B. ZIEGLER—Great Sannap.
H. J. STONER—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

Certificate of P. S. Wm. H. R. Kelty, formerly of No. 19, of Maryland, transferred to No. 163, was read, and the Past Sachem accepted as a member of the Great Council.

Certificates of the following Representatives read and acknowledged:—

Wm. Paxson, No. 11; E. V. O'Neil, No. 33, in place of M. V. B. Musselman, resigned; Wm. H. Dean, No. 53, in place of James Harrison; Albert E. Printz, No. 67; E. N. R. Ohl, No. 84, in place of Wm. L. Zane, resigned; Eli R. Miller, No. 100; Thomas E. Lewis, in place of John D. Colvin; Selim S. Thomas, No. 136, in place of H. T. Bibighaus; David C. Chesley, No. 137; George Riddle, No. 144; H. A. Plance, No. 147; H. J. Bashore, No. 151; Adolph Conradi, No. 154; W. H. R. Kelty, No. 163; George Metzel, D. C. No. 2, in place of Peter Swartz; Davis Kitch, Jr., D. C. No. 4, in place of H. W. Villee; one from Miquon Tribe, No. 50, in favor of H. F. Bissout, in place of I. R. Roberts; also a certificate stating that I. R. Roberts is entitled to a seat in the Great Council.

The Great Sachem decided that Isaac R. Roberts was the Representative of No. 50.

P. G. I. Cameron appealed from this decision.

P. S. Boyd moved to lay the appeal on the table. Lost.

On the question shall the decision stand as the judgment of the Great Council, it was not agreed to.

Also certificates certifying to the appointment of Representatives from Nos. 39 and 90, by the duly elected Representatives.

The Great Sachem decided that they could not be received.

P. S. Reese moved that all Past Sachems whose names were not upon the list as first returned, be excluded from the Great Council.

P. G. I. Cameron moved to amend by inserting, "by reason of being in arrears at the time," which was adopted, and the motion as amended was agreed to.

Roll of Representatives called and the following present:—

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 11, 14, 18, 19, 22, 26, 27, 29, 32, 33, 34, 37, 38, 43, 45, 47, 48, 49, 51, 53, 58, 61, 62, 66, 68, 70, 73, 75, 76, 79, 81, 82, 83, 84, 86, 87, 91, 93, 104, 106, 116, 120, 121, 131, 139, 141, 149, 163, D. C. 1, 2, 4.

Certificates of Past Sachems read and referred.

The G. C. of R. proceeded to read the records of the last session, when P. S. Naylor moved that the further reading be dispensed with, and they be adopted as printed, which was agreed to.

Rep. Supplee presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the sessions of this Great Council commence at the 10th run rising of the sun and the 2nd run setting of the sun, and close respectively at the 12th run high sun and the 6th run setting of the sun, and no sleep sessions.

P. S. Rodbard moved to extend the time of quenching the council fire, until the Past Sachem now in waiting be admitted. Adopted.

At the request of Poutaxet Tribe, No. 145, a new charter was directed to be filled up for them, upon paying the expense of the same.

Communication from the Great Incohonee read, and on motion ordered to be placed upon the record.

PHILADELPHIA, 7th Sun, Corn Moon, G. S. D. 380.

JAMES A. MOSS, *G. S. of Pa.—Imp'd O. of R. M.*

DEAR CHIEF: Your favor of the 2d instant, containing the following question, has been duly received:—

"At a session of Great Council of Pa., held in Buck Moon, G. S. D. 380, the Great Sachem was requested to ask your decision as to what manner the kindling and quenching of council fires of Degree Tribes shall be conducted by Tribes conferring their own degrees?"

Decision.—Tribes conferring the degrees should transact all their business in the Adoption Degree previous to forming themselves into Degree Councils, and then proceed strictly in accordance with the Ritual. Each degree is complete in itself. Two council fires of the same degree cannot be kindled on the same sleep, and the council fire of the degree in which you are working must first be quenched before it can be kindled in a higher degree.

Fraternally yours,

WM. B. ECKERT, *G. I. U. S.*

The following Past Sachems were admitted and duly instructed:—

Christian Yeakle,	No.	3	Henry F. Bissout,	No.	50
Wm. Vogt,	"	5	T. T. Moore,	"	52
Philip Frederick,	"	5	L. W. Steinmetz,	"	52
James McCormack,	"	8	Andrew Gilinger,	"	53
Wm. Everett,	"	8	Albert E. Printz,	"	66
Frederick Lenz,	"	14	Chas. M. Leisenring,	"	73
Nicholas Deustch,	"	14	Wm. A. Wright,	"	81
Joseph Donahue,	"	34	W. D. Lutz,	"	91
Wm. Irvin,	"	38	Eli R. Miller,	"	100
Wm. Vandergrift,	"	38	Thomas Leslie,	"	104

J. C. Jaquish,	No. 119	George Riddle,	No. 144
Thomas E. Lewis,	" 132	John T. Kiehner,	" 145
Selim S. Thomas,	" 136	H. J. Bashore,	" 151
David C. Chesley,	" 137	Adolph Conradi,	" 154
George W. Crozier,	" 139	Samuel W. Conlin,	" 157

Council fire quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PHILADELPHIA, 16*th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D.* 381.

Great Council assembled and kindled the Council fire at the 2d run setting of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

JAMES A. MOSS—Great Sachem.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOSEPH W. CLYMER—Great Junior Sagamore.
J. F. MADEIRA—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
JAMES B. ZIEGLER—Great Sannap.
H. J. STONER—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 11, 14, 18, 19, 22, 26, 27, 29, 32, 33, 34, 37, 38, 41, 43, 44, 45, 47, 49, 50, 51, 53, 58, 61, 62, 66, 67, 68, 70, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 79, 82, 84, 86, 87, 91, 100, 104, 106, 107, 116, 121, 126, 131, 132, 136, 137, 138, 139, 141, 144, 148, 149, 151, 163, D. C. 1, 2, 4.

Records of morning session read and approved.

Great Sachem presented the following:—

GREAT SACHEM'S REPORT.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS:

In accordance with the Constitution, and by the blessings of the Great Spirit who has so kindly protected us, we are brought together again for the kindling of our council fire, and I can assure you that it affords me much gratification to inform you that our beloved Order is in a healthy and prosperous condition. Peace, good-will, and harmony predominate in our wigwams, and friendship among our members with-

out. I am convinced that the quiet workings of our Order has gained for it a character that is respected among the pale faces, and advanced it to such a position as to rival with any of the benevolent institutions of our land. The past six moons has been one of success in our mission; not one star in our constellation has paled during the time, while the council fires of thirteen new ones have been kindled, and three whose fires had ceased have been rekindled and added to the number of those who are in the fight, dispensing their wampum to relieve the sick and distressed brethren of our Order.

Our Order is moving upward and onward like a mighty wave in volume in this jurisdiction; our Tribes are working with renewed energy; our membership is increasing rapidly, and I think the future is worthy of our united efforts.

During the past six moons I have visited numerous Tribes throughout the State, and, with very few exceptions, find them in a prosperous and flourishing condition. On many of my visitations I have been accompanied by the Great Chiefs, and my thanks are due to them all for their uniform kindness, and more particularly to our able and efficient G. C. of R. Andrew J. Baker, and to G. G. of F. Thomas K. Donnalley, and also to P. G. S. E. F. Stewart and P. S. George W. Kreamer for their kind assistance in matters of law and usage.

I am also indebted to the several Deputy Great Sachems for the interest displayed by them in the advancement of our Order.

I would also return my thanks to the Great Chiefs and following Past Sachems who so kindly assisted me in raising up the chiefs of the various Tribes: brothers Daniel McGowan, F. Tschan, A. J. Morgan, J. Beamish, H. Walker, G. W. Allen, J. C. Moore, J. T. Akin, F. F. Snyder, P. Guyger, W. C. Probasco, Chas. Able, G. K. Swain, John T. Baer, W. H. Hartley, S. B. Green, G. W. Kreamer, W. G. Hollis, T. A. Winkworth, Samuel Naylor, I. W. Bisbing, S. B. Taylor, also G. I. Wm. B. Eckert, and P. G. S.'s Charles C. Conley and C. Wiestenberg.

During the six moons a terrible calamity has befallen our sister city, Chicago, and feeling that we should not be behindhand in our efforts to do good, I issued the following Circular to the Tribes in this jurisdiction:—

WIGWAM OF GREAT SACHEM.

PHILADELPHIA, 14th Sun, Travelling Moon, G. S. D. 380.

BROTHERS: In view of the terrible calamity that has befallen our sister city, CHICAGO, thousands of people have been rendered homeless, without the necessaries of life, and scarcely anything but the canopy of Heaven to cover them. I feel as though our noble Order should not be behind in their endeavors to help, feed, and clothe the poor starving and naked citizens, and thereby carry out the noble principles of our Order.

I hope that your Tribe may respond liberally, thereby showing that the Improved Order of Red Men are not behind in their endeavors to do good.

Please remit your contributions as soon as possible, and I will acknowledge the receipt of it, and hand it over to the CHICAGO FUND, in the name of our Order, giving the names of the Tribes.

Fraternally yours, in F. F. and C.

JAMES A. MOSS, *G. S.*

I have received the following contributions for the Chicago Fund:—

Leni Lenape Tribe,	No.	3,	25 0 0	Kickapoo Tribe,	No.	92,	10 0 0
Pocahontas	"	5,	15 0 0	Wopwollopen	"	90,	10 0 0
Wyoming	"	7,	15 0 0	Conewingo	"	93,	10 0 0
Mohegan	"	27,	10 0 0	Honayawus	"	94,	10 0 0
Seminole	"	30,	10 0 0	Juskakaka	"	96,	10 0 0
Cayugas	"	31,	10 0 0	Youghiogheny	"	103,	5 0 0
Conewago	"	37,	25 0 0	Absaraka	"	104,	25 0 0
Iroquois	"	42,	8 0 0	Chingachqook	"	106,	20 0 0
Miantonomo	"	45,	10 0 0	Saukie	"	107,	25 0 0
Miquon	"	50,	12 5 0	Conodogwinit	"	108,	20 0 0
Washita	"	53,	28 7 5	Minnehaha	"	111,	60 0 0
Wyandotte	"	54,	10 5 0	Chickasaw	"	114,	15 0 0
Kickenapawling	"	60,	25 0 0	Manaiung	"	118,	30 0 0
Kiskiminitas	"	66,	50 0 0	Kiowas	"	120,	10 0 0
Ongpatonga	"	67,	15 0 0	Catawissa	"	121,	10 0 0
Shohomokin	"	69,	10 0 0	Cohocksink	"	127,	5 0 0
Mattawana	"	71,	5 0 0	Weeeaeoe	"	135,	5 0 0
Winona	"	75,	10 0 0	Nay Aug	"	140,	15 0 0
Nevada	"	76,	12 0 0	Aeeomae	"	142,	25 0 0
Swatara	"	80,	5 0 0	Mahantongo	"	156,	10 0 0
Tonnawanda	"	81,	10 0 0	From brother Red Man			1 0 0
Tamany	"	85,	5 0 0				
							657 7 5

Also for Michigan and Wisconsin sufferers:—

Miquon Tribe,	No. 50,	12 5 0	
Kickenapawling "	60,	25 0 0	
Absaraka "	104,	25 0 0	
Quockelinik "	116,	10 0 0	
			72 5 0
Total received,			730 2 5

Of which I handed to

Hon. Daniel M. Fox, Mayor of Philadelphia	218 0 0
A. J. Drexel, Treasurer	323 7 5
Sent to brother Wm. A. Baldwin, a member of Tribe No. 22, who was a severe sufferer by the fire	50 0 0
Brother P. S. J. W. Aitley, a member of Tribe No. 28, who was also a heavy sufferer by the fire	50 0 0
	641 7 5
Leaving a balance of wampum in my hands of	88 5 0

I can assure you that the cases where I sent the wampum I was fully assured that they were really suffering and deserving brethren, and the response from the two brethren were very grateful, and they desire that their thanks be tendered to the brethren of the Order, and that they fully appreciate the donation. I also received the following communication:—

LANCASTER, 12th Sun, Hunting Moon, G. S. D. 380.

JAMES A. MOSS, *G. S.*

RESPECTED CHIEF: At a regular council of the Tribe, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:—

11th Sleep, Hunting Moon, G. S. D. 380.

EESHAHKONEE TRIBE, No. 22, Imp'd O. of R. M.

Your committee appointed to draft resolutions of thanks to the various Tribes of the Improved Order of Red Men who contributed fifty fathoms towards the relief of the family of brother Baldwin, who was one of the Chicago sufferers, and which sum was forwarded to us by James A. Moss, Great Sachem of Pennsylvania, would respectfully recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:—

Resolved, That the thanks of Eeshahkonee Tribe are hereby tendered to our different sister Tribes of Improved Order of Red Men, which contributed through G. S. Moss the sum of fifty fathoms towards the relief of one of our members, who was one of the sufferers by the Chicago calamity.

Resolved, That our thanks are hereby tendered to G. S. James A. Moss, for his kind expression of sympathy for our afflicted brother, and for his efforts in securing this well-timed relief.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolutions be recorded upon our records, and that a copy of the same be forwarded to the Great Sachem, with the request that he convey our thanks to the Tribes which participated in the kind donations.

Respectfully submitted,
P. G. S. M. J. WEAVER,
P. S. D. P. ROSENMILLER, JR.,
P. S. W. D. STIGERWALT.

I would also state that several of the Tribes had already given to the funds in the various cities and towns, and for the prompt and generous donations so liberally sent me, I return to the various Tribes my thanks, and trust that we shall never again be called on in case of such a dire calamity.

INSTITUTION OF TRIBES.

At the session of the Great Council in Buck Moon last, charters were granted to two Tribes, which were duly instituted as follows:—

CHILLISQUAQUA TRIBE, No. 152, Northumberland, on 14th of Sturgeon Moon, by G. C. of R. Baker, G. G. of F. Donnalley, D. G. S. Wilvert, P. S. Aten, No. 77, and myself, assisted by a number of brothers of Nos. 69, 77,

and 148. Chiefs raised up: David Evans, Sachem; S. R. Donahue, S. S.; John W. Stewart, J. S.; Porter Dunham, C. of R.; A. G. Postlethwaite, K. of W.; G. F. Boyer, Prophet.

Wawenoc Tribe, No. 153, Watsontown, on the 15th of Sturgeon Moon, by G. C. of R. Baker, G. G. of F. Donnalley, D. G. S. Wilvert, and myself. Chiefs raised up: Oscar Foust, Sachem; John Peterman, S. S.; James Taylor, J. S.; Ambrose S. Lamm, C. of R.; George Burns, K. of W.; Jacob Crossley, Prophet.

Application has been made for the restoration of their charters by the following Tribes, and after submitting the same to the Great Chiefs, they have deemed it for the benefit of the Order to reinstitute them, and dispensations have been duly granted therefor:—

Osceola Tribe, No. 11, Columbia; application signed by six of its members, four brothers, and twenty-five pale faces; received 5th of Hunting Moon; reorganized 13th, by G. C. of R. Baker, D. G. S. Upp, and myself, assisted by P. S. McGinnis and a number of brothers of No. 39. Chiefs raised up: Smith Swords, Sachem; Andrew J. Musser, S. S.; John H. Downs, J. S.; Peter A. Krodel, C. of R.; P. S. James Schroder, K. of W.; P. S. Wm. Paxson, Prophet.

Montezuma Tribe, No. 21, Philadelphia; application signed by five of its members, two brothers, and fifteen pale faces; received 15th of Hunting Moon; reorganized 22d, by G. J. S. Clymer, G. P. Madeira, G. K. of W. Pierce, G. G. of F. Donnalley, and P. G. S. Conley, assisted by a number of members of the Order. Chiefs raised up: Joseph W. Knight, Sachem; N. R. Baugh, S. S.; —— J. S.; Wm. C. Stewart, C. of R.; Alfred Wood, K. of W.; Samuel J. Wallace, Prophet.

Oniska Tribe, No. 40, East Berlin, Adams County; application signed by five members and twelve pale faces; received 27th of Beaver Moon; reorganized 11th of Hunting Moon, by D. G. S. Holtzworth, assisted by P. S.'s Boyer, Cress, W. D. Holtzworth, Wolf, Ziegler, and a number of brothers of No. 31. Chiefs raised up: J. Curtis Hildebrand, Sachem; F. C. Wolf, S. S.; J. F. Geiselman, J. S.; C. W. Baker, C. of R.; J. Henry Bohn, K. of W.; Michael McSherry, Prophet.

Petitions in proper form have been received, and after due consideration by the Great Chiefs, dispensations have been issued for the following Tribes:—

Lappawinzoe Tribe, No. 154, Bethlehem; petition signed by one brother and twenty-three pale faces; received 16th of Sturgeon Moon; instituted 27th of Corn Moon, by the G. J. S., G. C. of R., G. G. of F., D. G. S. Raub, P. S. Taylor, No. 79, and myself. Chiefs raised up: Adolph Conradi, Sachem; Joseph A. Weaver, S. S.; Tilghman H. Blakely, J. S.; Jacob B. Kemerer, C. of R.; Isaac Walp, K. of W.

Shenandoah Tribe, No. 155, Shenandoah City; petition signed by six brothers and twenty pale faces; received 15th of Corn Moon; instituted 4th of Travelling Moon, by G. C. of R. Baker, G. G. of F. Donnalley, D. G. S. Thomas, P. S. John Phillips, No. 107, and myself, assisted by a

number of brothers of No. 107. Chiefs raised up: George T. Taylor, Sachem; Reese J. Thomas, S. S.; John Adams, J. S.; C. C. Wagner, C. of R.; Thomas H. Taylor, K. of W.; Washington W. Littlehales, Prophet.

Mahantongo Tribe, No. 156, Mount Carmel, Northumberland County; petition signed by twenty-six pale faces; received 26th of Corn Moon; instituted 3d of Travelling Moon, by G. C. of R. Baker, G. G. of F. Donnalley, D. G. S. Thomas, and myself, assisted by P. S.'s McNall, Greenwood, and Walker, of No. 41, Joseph Phillips, John Phillips, and Davis, of No. 107. Chiefs raised up: John A. Phillips, Sachem; Wm. J. Sincock, S. S.; Joseph W. Hughes, J. S.; Mesach Watkins, C. of R.; Isaac Harvey, K. of W.; John N. Evans, Prophet.

Alletah Tribe, No. 157, Philadelphia; petition signed by six brothers and thirty-five pale faces; received 21st of Travelling Moon; instituted 30th, by the Great Chiefs, assisted by a number of brothers. Chiefs raised up: Samuel W. Conlin, Sachem; Wm. R. Eastman, S. S.; C. Dallas Hoffman, J. S.; Wm. Lowry, C. of R.; Cooper Clark, K. of W.; James N. Lytle, Prophet.

Aquashicola Tribe, No. 158, Slatington, Lehigh County; petition signed by twenty-one pale faces; received 30th of Travelling Moon; instituted 22d of Beaver Moon, by G. C. of R. Baker, G. K. of W. Pierce, G. G. of F. Donnalley, and myself, assisted by P. S.'s and brothers of Nos. 41, 74, 106, and 154. Chiefs raised up: Clement A. White, Sachem; David Evans, S. S.; Wm. H. Roberts, J. S.; Morris C. Davis, C. of R.; Wm. O. Williams, K. of W.; Edward Golding, Prophet.

Ockohocking Tribe, No. 159, Newtown Square, Delaware County; petition signed by one brother and twenty pale faces; received 30th of Travelling Moon; instituted 9th of Beaver Moon, by G. J. S. Clymer, G. P. Madeira, G. C. of R. Baker, and myself. Chiefs raised up: Charles S. Heysham, Sachem; Wm. T. Davis, S. S.; Wm. King, J. S.; James J. Sproul, C. of R.; Jonathan H. Thomas, K. of W.; Wm. B. Payne, Prophet.

Neasham Tribe, No. 160, Southamptonville, Bucks County; petition signed by nine brothers and fifteen pale faces; received 31st of Travelling Moon; instituted 18th of Beaver Moon, by G. J. S. Clymer, G. C. of R. Baker, G. G. of F. Donnalley, and myself, assisted by a large number of brothers of Nos. 118 and 127. Chiefs raised up: Charles D. Lefferts, Sachem; Samuel Leedom, S. S.; Theodore T. Thornburg, J. S.; Franklin Terry, C. of R.; John D. Brayman, K. of W.; Christopher F. Fetters, Prophet.

Arrasapha Tribe, No. 161, Garrettford, Delaware County; petition signed by two brothers and twenty-two pale faces; received 24th of Beaver Moon; instituted 28th, by G. C. of R. Baker, G. G. of F. Donnalley, P. G. S. Conley, P. S. Baer, No. 104, and myself, assisted by several brothers of No. 86. Chiefs raised up: Henry Taylor, Sachem; Thomas M. Kay, S. S.; Frazer P. Worrell, J. S.; James Lomas, C. of R.; Washington Burnley, K. of W.; Walter Harris, Prophet.

Champiola Tribe, No. 162, Blairsville, Indiana County; petition signed by twenty-two pale faces; reeeived 2d of Hunting Moon; instituted 21st, by G. C. of R. and myself, Chiefs raised up: W. R. Boyers, Saehem; W. H. Healy, S. S.; Robert S. Davis, J. S.; Wm. G. Triece, C. of R.; Stephen Conwell, K. of W.; Chester C. Davis, Prophet.

Cussawago Tribe, No. 163, Titusville, Crawford County; petition signed by two brothers and twenty pale faees; reeeived 15th of Hunting Moon; instituted 29th, by D. G. S. Planee of Venango Connty, assisted by a number of members of No. 147. Chiefs raised up: P. S. Wm. H. R. Kelty, Saehem; Jaeob Aarons, S. S.; Moses Fellerman, J. S.; E. A. Keene, C. of R.; N. Grossmayer, K. of W.; P. S. Levi Fellerman, Prophet.

Hodenausonee Tribe, No. 164, Dawson, Fayette County; petition signed by twenty pale faees; reeeived 15th of Hunting Moon; instituted 29th, by D. G. S. Gnmmert, P. S.'s Huehenson and Vandyke, assisted by a number of brothers of No. 112. Chiefs raised np: John Coder, Sachem; Solomon Baker, S. S.; Jonathan C. Knight, J. S.; John R. Dunham, C. of R.; Jesse A. Oglevee, K. of W.; Charles Cheney, Prophet.

DISPENSATIONS.

I have granted dispensations to the following Tribes to eonfer degrees:

Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, Warrior's and Chief's degrees on George F. Huntingdon.

Panooka Tribe, No. 141, Warrior's and Chief's degrees on Joseph Thulwell and Simon Green, and Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees on Franeis V. Barns.

Wingohoeking Tribe, No. 33, Warrior's and Chief's degrees on Mereer Rhodes.

Freneh Crcek Tribe, No. 147, Chief's degree on C. W. Smith and C. Waeksmith.

Miantonomo Tribe, No. 45, Chief's degree on C. W. Twesten and Edward Gilette.

Absaraka Tribe, No. 104, Chief's degree on Dallas Hoffman.

Massasoit Tribe, No. 144, Warrior's and Chief's degree on L. W. Helmbold.

Penobscot Tribe, No. 70, Chief's degree on D. R. Donally, and Warrior's and Chief's degrees on Julius Hobzer.

Mohegan Tribe, No. 27, Chief's degree on A. J. Fimple, and Warrior's and Chief's degrees on Miehael Nelson.

Manaiung Tribe, No. 118, Chief's degree on Adolphus Citeriei, and Frederiek Weaver, and Warrior's and Chief's degrees on Geo. Townsen.

Chingaehqook Tribe, No. 106, Warrior's and Chief's degree on E. D. Horn, Charles P. Ford, Thomos Reily, Charles F. Lippineott, and Max Schweibentz, and Chief's degree on Wm. Harpel and Owin Bastian.

Moscosco Tribe, No. 34, Chief's degree on George W. Curtis, Cheney Williamson, and W. E. Hoffman, and Warrior's and Chief's degrees on A. S. Guiney and Joseph D. Maull.

Osage Tribe, No. 113, Chief's degree on Hugh Curry.

Aquashicola Tribe, No. 158, Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees on Hiram Hontz and Henry Bineman.

Amount of wampum received, twenty-seven fathoms.

I have granted dispensations to the following Tribes to hold Balls and Festivals: Weccacoe, No. 135, Mohican, No. 127, Tuscarora, No. 29, Cherokee, No. 19, Mohegan, No. 27, Passyunk, No. 139, Chippewa, No. 51, Nevada, No. 76, Quoekelinick, No. 116, Camanchee, No. 52, Juniata, No. 74, Moscosco, No. 34, Wissinoming, No. 133, Coaquanock, No. 49, Opekasset, No. 122, Idaho, No. 73, Ockohocking, No. 159.

Amount of wampum received, fifty-one fathoms.

I have also granted the following dispensations for the several purposes mentioned:—

Idaho Tribe, No. 73, to wear regalia at a parade on their anniversary 30th Sun, Sturgeon Moon, G. S. D. 380.

Panooka Tribe, No. 141, to turn out in regalia on the 5th of Corn Moon, G. S. D. 380.

Standing Stone Tribe, No. 99, to change the sleep of kindling the council fire from Tuesday to Saturday.

Sagoyewatha Tribe, No. 38, to change from Saturday to Monday.

Alletah Tribe, No. 157, to change from Monday to Friday's sleep, and to remove from Fortieth and Market to 3512 Haverford Street.

Camanchee Tribe, No. 52, to remove from Allen above Frankford Road to Charlotte and Girard Avenue, and to move back again to Allen Street.

Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, from 605 Arch Street to 725 Race Street.

P'Sskemuquohiki Tribe, No. 146, to remove from Brady's Bend, Armstrong County, to East Brady, Clarion County.

On the 5th of Hunting Moon, I granted Kuquenaku Tribe, No. 4, a dispensation to suspend benefits for six moons from that date, on account of their wampum being reduced.

DECISIONS.

On the 19th sun of Buck Moon I received a communication from Tuscarora Tribe, No. 29, asking for my decision on the following question: "Can a member hold the stump of Prophet and Keeper of Wampum at the same time?" I answered no, he cannot hold both stumps at the same time.

On the 26th sun of Buck Moon I received the following question from Nevada Tribe, No. 76, for my decision: "Can the C. of R.'s stump be filled by any brother of the Tribe who has not received his Chief's degree, during the C. of R.'s sickness or absence from the city, and must the Assisiant C. of R. be of the Chief's degree?" I answered they must be

filled by members of the Chief's degree. (See Article III, Constitution of Tribes.)

On the 18th sun of Sturgeon Moon I received a communication from Sawquehanna Tribe, No. 131, asking if a ballot must be taken on a pale face if the committee report him unworthy. I answered they must take a ballot, and referred them to page 99, Vol. III of Proceedings of Great Council, to decision made by P. G. S. Madeira, and approved by the Great Council.

On the 29th sun of Sturgeon Moon I received a communication from Accomac Tribe, No. 142, asking if a suspended brother was entitled to benefits, and to meet with them during his suspension. I answered if the suspension was from all rights and privileges, he was not entitled to benefits, nor to meet in the wigwam with them.

On the 13th sun of Corn Moon I received a communication from Miquon Tribe, No. 50, asking my decision on the following question: "Has a Tribe the right to annul an order one council sleep, which had been given at a previous one, provided said order had not been executed?" I answered them as follows: The proper plan would have been (as the matter came upon the following council sleep after adoption of the motion to create an order) to reconsider the motion adopting said order; but if a council sleep had intervened, then you could by vote annul the motion by which the order was drawn; if the order had been paid, you then could do nothing in the matter, as it would have passed out of your control.

On the 15th sun of Hunting Moon I received a communication from Pawnee Tribe, No. 20, asking if members of the Order, who have withdrawn from their Tribes by card, can visit other Tribes on presentation of the withdrawal card; and if so, for what length of time after the date of the card the privilege extends. I answered that brothers having cards can only be admitted as long as they have the password of the term.

On the 14th sun of Hunting Moon I received a communication from Miantonomo Tribe, No. 45, asking for my decision on the following: "Can a brother be nominated and elected to an elective stump without having received the Chief's degree?" I answered that a brother to be eligible to an election to any of the elective stumps must have the Chief's degree.

I received a communication from Ockohocking Tribe, No. 159, for my decision in regard to two cases. The first case is that of a man named . . . formerly a member of Mingo Tribe, No. 13, of Phœnixville. He says about sixteen great suns ago he was a member of that Tribe in good standing, and at that time the Tribe broke up. He has applied for admission into our Tribe as a pale face; the question is can we admit him in that way, or must he procure a card from Perkiomen Tribe, which is working under No. 13 charter. Some of our members are of opinion that it is unjust to compel him to procure a card, when he is willing to come in as a pale face.

The other case is of a man named . . . . . who was balloted for and declared elected by the Tribe, and was not adopted because there were objections to him by some of the members. Please state what we can do in the case.

I answered them on the 15th sun of Hunting Moon, that in the second case of . . . . . I would refer you to my decision of 16th of Hunting Moon, G. S. D. 379. (See Proceedings of Great Council, session of Cold Moon, G. S. D. 380, p. 139.)

In first case of . . . . . he will have to procure a withdrawal card from Tribe No. 13, of which he claims to have been a member at its dissolution.

APPEALS.

On the 23d of Travelling Moon I received the appeal of brother M. W. Walker against the action of Seneca Tribe, No. 41, which I placed in the hands of the Board of Appeals.

On the 30th of Travelling Moon I received the appeal of brother Thos. E. Weber from the action of Juniata Tribe, No. 74, which I placed in the hands of the Board of Appeals.

I received the appeal of Elizabeth Leidlach against the action of Conewago Tribe, No. 37, which I placed in the hands of the Board of Appeals.

MISCELLANEOUS.

On the 6th of Beaver Moon I received a communication from the Great Chief of Records of the United States, containing the following resolution in reference to the case of Nevada Tribe, No. 76:—

Resolved, That the decision of the Great Council of Pennsylvania be sustained.

In accordance therewith, on the 8th of Beaver Moon, I paid over to Nevada Tribe the sum of seventy-five fathoms, with interest, which was placed in my hands by P. G. S. Adam Schuh to hold in trust.

I received two communications from Manhattan Tribe, No. 29, Frenchtown, N. J., asking permission to adopt three pale faces from this jurisdiction, by name of D. F. Myers, J. W. Stone, and Isaiah Swope. There being no Tribe near their residence, permission was granted.

By request of Thos. J. Francis, Great Sachem of New Jersey, I granted permission to adopt two pale faces from this jurisdiction, by the names of George Bernard and John E. Holcomb.

I have appointed as Deputy Great Sachem for the County of Delaware, brother Charles Matthews, of Lenni Tribe, No. 86.

At the last session of the Great Council no report was received from Otzinachson Tribe, No. 95. The G. C. of R., in obedience to his duties and the recommendation of the Committee on Returns and Reports, wrote to the chiefs of that Tribe and urged their attention to the matter. Subsequently he received a communication from the last Sachem, stating that the Tribe had not been able to kindle their council fire for several council sleeps. G. C. of R. Baker having accepted an invitation to take part in

the dedication of the Wigwam of Mattawanna Tribe, No. 71, and deliver a public address at McVeytown, I authorized him to proceed to Lock Haven and inquire into the condition of the Tribe, and if possible place them in working operation. He did so, and had interviews with many of the brothers, all of whom expressed an ardent feeling for the Order, and a determination to stand by and build up their Tribe. He then made arrangements for the assembling of the brothers at a subsequent time, and at their request returned by way of Williamsport, and called upon D. G. S. Whitman to attend to the Tribe; which he did by proceeding to Lock Haven at the time appointed, re-kindling their council fire, and raising up their chiefs, making quite a flattering report of the determination of the brothers to make their Tribe successful; and by the report just received by the G. C. of R. it shows the Tribe in a very flourishing condition, and the brethern think by the close of another great sun they will make the best report that ever came from the Tribe.

On the 5th sun of Travelling Moon I received a communication from P. S. Harry Lang, of No. 79, stating that his Tribe had suspended him from all his "rights and privileges" for eight seven suns, for being over six moons in arrears, and requesting my "decision" upon the construction to be placed on Section 1, Article XXI, of their By-Laws. After examining said law I addressed a courteous note to the Tribe, giving my construction of the same, and expressing a desire that they would put the same construction upon it.

Subsequently I received a communication from P. S. Lang, dated 26th Travelling Moon, stating that on the 18th his Tribe had, "without trial," suspended him from membership. I advised him to proceed in accordance with Art. XXII, By-Laws of Great Council, and Art. XVIII, Sec. 5, Constitution of Tribes, and I was under the impression he intended doing so. Subsequently I received a communication, dated 13th Beaver Moon, in which he disclaimed all intentions of presenting an appeal, and submitted therein certain questions "as points of law." In this he was joined by P. S. Taylor of his Tribe, and in subsequent communications by P. S. Batty and brother Halstead of his Tribe.

I also received a communication, dated 16th of Beaver Moon, from P. S. William Batty, of No. 79, stating that the Tribe had suspended him in the same manner as they did P. S. Lang, requesting my "decision" on certain questions, and stating that he did not present it "as an appeal, but submitted it on the question of law."

In some of the communications I was requested to visit the Tribe, and "assert my authority."

Believing at the time that harmony would be better promoted by allowing the members of the Tribe an opportunity to reflect upon their course, and having confidence that if left to themselves without any show of coercion or the exercise of doubtful authority, they would conform to

the requirements of the laws, and if they did not, that the proper remedy for *any injustice* is provided for in Section 5, Article XVIII, Constitution of Tribes, which reads as follows :—

"*Sec.* 5. A brother feeling that injustice has been done him by the Tribe, may appeal to the Great Council, through the Great Sachem, any time within three moons from the date of the action of the Tribe, stating the matter of grievance, and the reason he may have for believing that wrong has been done him. He shall first, however, be required to serve a copy of the appeal upon the Tribe, and furnish proof to the Great Sachem that he has done so, along with his appeal."

Being of the opinion that all Tribes and brothers should stand on an equality under the laws, I refrained from visiting the Tribe, and exercising any arbitrary or doubtful authority. I received a communication from Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, dated 9th Beaver Moon, submitting certain questions. In reply thereto, and in answer to the several communications heretofore alluded to, I sent the following :—

PHILADELPHIA, 28th Sun, Beaver Moon, G. S. D. 380.

To the Sachem, Chiefs, and Members of Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, *Improved Order Red Men.*

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: I acknowledge the receipt of your communication of the 9th sun of the present moon, submitting certain questions for my decision, to which I reply: 1st. When a ballot is had for the election of a pale face, resulting in his rejection, another ballot cannot be had upon the same sleep, but must be deferred until the next council sleep. Therefore, the pale face in the case you submit is entitled to another ballot (See Section 7, Article XIII, Constitution of Tribes), and you are hereby directed to proceed to a second ballot immediately. The fact that you returned the proposition fee to the proposer makes no difference, as by your own statement the pale face himself did not ask for its return, has not received it, and never authorized the withdrawal of his petition for adoption. The brother who received the proposition fee is directed to return it to the Tribe, subject to the result of the second ballot. 2d. But one ballot is required upon an application for reinstatement (see Sec. 5, Article II, of your By-Laws).

Having answered the questions in your communication, I now proceed to direct your attention to other questions submitted to me by different members of your Tribe. Under date of 5th sun of Travelling Moon I received a communication from P. S. Harry Lang, stating that he had been suspended for eight seven suns from "all the rights and privileges of membership, for being in arrears six moons," and asking me to decide whether such action was in accordance with Article XXI of the By-Laws of the Tribe. I addressed a communication to the Tribe on the following sun, in which I said "that my interpretation of that By-Law was, that it

only suspended from the receipt of benefits," and that I trusted the Tribe would put the proper construction upon the law—of course meaning the construction I gave it—and place brother Lang properly before the Tribe." Instead of a prompt compliance with my decision, it was laid upon the table at your council sleep on the 11th sleep of Travelling Moon.

On the 18th sun of same moon, brother Lang submitted to the Tribe charges against brother S. C. Woodhead, the Sachem; which he, the Sachem, refused to entertain, upon the ground that the time for which brother Lang had been suspended had not yet expired (this was one seven suns after receiving my decision that the suspension was illegal), and refused to allow an appeal to be taken from his decision, on the next council sleep (25th of Travelling Moon). On motion of P. S. Worrell, brother Lang was suspended for five great suns, for having presented malicious charges against the Sachem.

On the first sleep of Beaver Moon, brother P. S. William Batty presented charges against the Sachem, brother S. C. Woodhead, which, under the law, laid over for one seven suns. At the next council sleep the charges were again read. Brother Batty having named the Senior and Junior Sagamores as witnesses, the Sachem, brother Woodhead, declared that said chiefs could not act pending the appointment of the Committee, and that there were no brothers present competent to fill their places; whereupon, on motion, the charges went over for another seven suns. At the following council sleep (15th of Beaver Moon), the charges were again brought up, and the Sachem, brother Woodhead, again declared that no action could be taken, for the same reason as given at the council sleep before. The Tribe then, on motion, went into a committee of the whole on the charges, and on motion of Assistant C. of R. Waters, the charges were dismissed. After which, on motion of brother Butts, brother Batty was declared suspended for five great suns.

The foregoing substantially embodies the facts as presented to me by brothers P. S. Lang, P. S. Taylor, P. S. Batty, and J. F. Halstead, and I have no reason to doubt their truth. These brothers ask me to decide the points of law involved. Accordingly, in compliance with Article XXII, Constitution of Tribes, which says: "Should doubts arise as to the construction of any clause or Article thereof, it shall be referred to the Great Sachem, whose decision shall be final, until reversed by the Great Council." I decide as follows:—

1st. The suspension of brother P. S Harry Lang from "all the rights and privileges of membership" for being in arrears for six moons, is contrary to Article XXI of your By-Laws. Under said law members can only be suspended from the receipt of benefits. Before they can be suspended from all the rights and privileges of membership for arrearages, they must be one great sun in arrears. (See Section 9, Article XVIII, Constitution of Tribes.)

2d. The Sachem was wrong in refusing to entertain the charges submitted by brother P. S. Lang, on the 18th sleep of Travelling Moon, for the reason that he had not, according to my decision, been legally suspended from all his rights and privileges, and even if he had been legally suspended, the time had expired; and the Sachem also erred in refusing an appeal to be taken. When charges are regularly preferred, they must be received, and in proper time referred to a committee.

3d. The suspension of brothers Lang and Batty on a mere motion, without charges and without a trial, was a gross violation of their rights as members, and also illegal and improper, and in direct contravention of Article XVIII, Constitution of Tribes, and a persistence therein or renewal of such action will render you liable to the penalties of the Order.

4th. The Sachem erred in deciding that chiefs who were witnesses could not retain their positions pending the appointment of a committee on charges; a chief is not disqualified from discharging the duties required of him under Section 2, Article XVIII, Constitution of Tribes, by reason of his being a witness; but he would be disqualified if he was the party accused.

I do hereby direct and command that you promptly obey and conform to the decisions herein given. A ready and cheerful acquiescence therein will tend to restore good-will and harmony in the Tribe. No one can regret more than myself the unfortunate causes that have rendered these decisions necessary. A proper regard for the law, and a temperate and fraternal discussion of the questions that arise, will always avoid trouble. I also order and direct that you immediately inform me of the action of your Tribe on the foregoing communication, attested by the chiefs and the seal thereof.

In conclusion, I beg leave to refer you to Section 2, Article XX, of the By-Laws of the Great Council of Pennsylvania, and trust that no act of yours will oblige me to have recourse to its provisions.

I am very truly yours, in F. F. and C.

JAMES A. MOSS, *G. S.*

Subsequently I received a communication from the Tribe, dated 9th of Hunting Moon, stating therein that they had complied with my decisions and restored P. S. Batty and Lang to their full membership, and also setting forth that on the regular council sleep of their Tribe the lessee of the Wigwam refused them admission thereto, and they were compelled to kindle their council fire in another; and requesting me to sanction and legalize their temporary removal, which I immediately did.

I am of the opinion that any and all grievances can be better adjusted or more satisfactorily redressed by a full compliance with all the requirements of the laws, than by partiality, favoritism, or unwarranted stretch of authority.

The authority of the Great Sachem is as much restrained and circumscribed by the *laws* which confer it, as the rights and privileges of the Tribes, or those of the most humble brother; whilst I am ever ready to impartially enforce all the laws and commands thereof, I am not willing at the request of any member to go beyond the power and authority, as I understand the laws. placed in my hands.

Pending these proceedings many harsh and unkind remarks were made, and much bitterness expressed towards the Great Sachem by some who were not fully informed of the whole subject; and others who should have exercised a better control of their feelings, for the time forget "that he who ruleth his spirit is greater than he who taketh a city."

I would here call the attention of the Representatives and this Great Council to the necessity of urging a better attendance, and taking more interest in the workings and doings of the Degree Councils, as many, or in fact most of the Tribes confer their own Degrees, and I must say many of them are very much slighted, and brethern do not know any more when they receive them than before, and many times they do not even have the signs correct; and I think when properly conferred (which they are done at the Degree Councils) that the degrees of our Order are the most solemn and beautiful part, and I trust that some legislation may be taken whereby life and energy may be infused into the Degree Councils.

On the 4th of Corn Moon, by invitation I accompanied Wyoming Tribe, No. 7, on their trip to the Wyoming Valley, and had the pleasure of visiting my brother Red Men in Scranton and Wilkesbarre, and found them in a prosperous condition and well pleased to see us.

I would also recommend that this Great Council take some action in getting out a digest of the laws of this Great Council, as I am frequently applied to by many brothers of the Order, and think it worthy of your attention.

I have written a large number of letters during the past six moons, many of them answers to questions which I deemed of a useless nature, and which I did not think any use of putting in my report of decisions. I would call the attention of brethern of the Order to the Constitution before asking for decisions, many of which they will find answered in the Constitution, and I will hereafter require that all communications desiring an official answer must come through the Tribe, with the seal attached.

I am indebted to brother P. S. F. Tschan, of Mohawk Tribe, No. 14, for his valuable assistance in translating the letters from my brother German Red Men; and my thanks, and the thanks of Great Council, are due to the Board of Appeals for their untiring zeal and labor, and particularly to their chairman, brother W. C. Probasco.

I have endeavored to visit as many Tribes as in my power throughout the State during the six moons, and hope to be able to visit all before the expiration of my official term.

Reports have been received from the several Deputies, who represent the Order in their jurisdictions in a flourishing condition.

Again thanking all my brethren for their kind and courteous manner toward me, I submit the foregoing,

In the bonds of F. F. and C.

JAMES A. MOSS, *G. S.*

The following Past Sachems were duly admitted to membership:—

Wm. Blancbois,	No.	8	Charles Goodchild,	No.	87
Thomas M. Smith,	"	26	Frederick Perkins,	"	133
Augustus Cook,	"	51	Samuel Owens,	"	133
John T. Gross,	"	62	John Patterson, D.C.	"	1
Geo. W. Iseminger,	"	87			

P. G. S. Gorham (Chairman) presented the following, which was on motion received, action approved, and Committee continued:—

PHILADELPHIA, 16th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The undersigned Committee, appointed to confer with certain Cemetery Companies, respectfully report that under the instructions of this Great Body, at Pottsville, in the Buck Moon last, they, on the 23d of Corn Moon last, effected an agreement with the FERNWOOD COMPANY, which they believe will result advantageously to the Order generally in this jurisdiction.

The grounds of the Fernwood Company are located on the Baltimore Turnpike, the western boundary thereof being Church Lane, and the eastern Cobb's Creek, which divides the Company's grounds from the City. The grounds are all located in Delaware County, which secures them from encroachment or disturbance by streets, and are at the same time but thirteen minutes distant from Thirty-First and Chestnut Streets, by the West Chester Rail Road. It is but one minute's walk from the Fernwood Station to the Main entrance of the Cemetery. By Turnpike the Cemetery is distant from Seventh and Arch Streets but forty-five minutes easy driving.

Before the Committee concluded the agreement, they applied every test, and made all inquiries that suggested themselves to them in relation to the eligibility of these grounds for cemetery purposes. The ground is of the character known as rotten rock, which crumbles in the hand. A grave was dug to the depth of eight feet in the lowest part, and three feet of water was poured therein, but immediately soaked away.

The brief of title, made out by Eli K. Price, Esq., was examined by your Committee, which shows the titles to these grounds to have changed hands but four or five times since their original conveyance by William Penn, and to be at this time free from incumbrance.

Your Committee finding the Fernwood grounds possessed every desirable advantage for cemetery purposes, have secured about nine acres, fronting on the Baltimore Turnpike and Church Lane, which they have named the RED MEN'S REST, and which has been divided into between 1600 and 1700 lots. The whole is properly laid out, and the avenues graded.

The location of the "Rest," and the fact that the main entrance opens upon, and the main avenue passes through it, combine to render it the most conspicuous portion of the Cemetery.

In view of the fact that at the time of the execution of the agreement, the best portion of the season for disposing of cemetery lots was rapidly passing, they felt impressed with the necessity of commencing operations at once. Accordingly, a Circular was issued on the 28th of Corn Moon, calling the attention of the Tribes to the matter, and notifying them that an Excursion to Fernwood would take place on the 16th of Travelling Moon, for the purpose of affording them an opportunity of examining the grounds for themselves.

Notwithstanding the sun appointed proved to be threatening and inclement, quite a number attended, and several lots were at once sold. A second Excursion was had on the 13th of Beaver Moon, when a large additional number of lots were at once disposed of. Your Committee in arranging these Excursions did not anticipate the sale of lots, their intention being only to afford the members an opportunity to see the grounds, and examine them for themselves.

Four great suns are given your Committee to dispose of the entire number of lots contained in the "Red Men's Rest." Our agreement was executed on the 23d of Corn Moon, and the first lot was disposed of on the 16th of Travelling Moon. Since that time to the present, just three moons, upwards of one-fourth the entire number of lots have been sold.

Your Committee beg leave to state that they have given to this matter their best judgment and the closest attention, in order that this Great Council, and the Tribes under its jurisdiction, may avail themselves of the decided advantage accruing to them in virtue of the agreement with the Fernwood Company.

Your Committee deem it proper to add that they have within a few suns been notified by the Cemetery Company that on and after the first of Hot Moon all lots remaining unsold in Sections 18, 19, 20, and 21, will be raised in price from twenty-five inches per foot to thirty five inches for inside lots, and avenue lots now selling at thirty-five inches per foot will be raised to fifty inches. These sections are back of, but join the "Red Men's Rest," and it is therefore a question to be settled whether the lots in the "Rest" will be continued at present rates, and less than those in adjoining sections, and which are less desirable.

Your Committee, before closing this report, deem it proper to note a mournful fact. The first interment in the "Red Men's Rest" was the remains of the loved daughter of one of the members of your Committee,

Great Incohonee, Wm. B. Eckert—taken off in the vigor and bloom of life, just as she had budded into womanhood. Thus it is—

> "Leaves have THEIR time to fall,
> And flowers to wither at the North wind's blast,
> And stars to set—but all,
> Thou hast ALL SEASONS for thine own, oh Death!"

The Committee, for further information, refer the Great Council to the Agreement.

All of which is respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

MORRIS H. GORHAM,
FRANK C. KNIPE,
E. F. STEWART,
S. B. TAYLOR,
WM. B. ECKERT.

P. G. S. Gorham then read the Agreement.

Petition for the restoration of the charters to Nos. 11, 21, and 40, and for charters for new Tribes, were read and referred to P. G. S. Knipe, P. S.'s Morgan and Wright.

Petitions to confer the rank of Past Sachem on their first Prophet were presented from Nos. 21 (reorganization), 157, 158, 159, and 160.

Rep. Thomas moved they be referred to a special committee of three.

P. S. Hartley moved to strike out special committee, and insert Committee on Law and Usage. Adopted.

The motion, as amended, was adopted.

Petition from Yemassee Tribe, No. 134, was presented, asking a remission of their tax due Great Council.

On motion, referred to the Finance Committee.

Petition from Massasoit Tribe, No. 144, asking permission to restore to membership W. H. Redheffer, was read.

On motion of Rep. Taylor, permission was granted.

Petition from Delaware Degree Council, No. 4, asking a revision of the names on their charter, was read.

Rep. Langham moved that the request be granted, upon paying the expense of the same, which was lost.

On motion, the Great Council proceeded to the nomination of Great Chiefs, when the following were made:—

For G. S.—John Rebman, No. 58.

For G. S. S.—Joseph W. Clymer, No. 27.

For G. J. S.—James B. Ziegler, No. 37, George McNall, No. 41, Wm. G. Hollis, No. 50, Jonathan Kershaw, No. 29, Charles Naylor, No. 87, W. C. Probaseo, No. 51, W. H. Hartley, No. 8, E. V. O'Neil, No. 33, H. J. Stoner, No. 104, John Weidley, No. 32, John Shultz, No. 91, Thomas W. Brown, No. 2, T. D. Rulon, No. 52, F. F. Snyder, No. 19, I. W. Bisbing, No. 7, J. H. Hartzel, No. 1.

For G. P.—James A. Moss, No. 70.

For G. C. of R.—P. G. I. A. J. Baker, No. 7, P. G. S.'s C. C. Conley, No. 51, E. F. Stewart, No. 27, M. H. Gorham, No. 17, P. S. W. H. Hartley, No. 8.

For G. K. of W.—Lewis C. Pieree, No. 48.

For Rep. to G. C. of U. S.—M. J. Thomas, No. 82, I. W. Bisbing, No. 7, J. M. Seott, No. 58, H. J. Stoner, No, 104, John Beamish, No. 113, W. W. Upp, No. 39, O. Heekman, No. 15, John J. Pierson, No. 73, J. H. Hartzel, No. 1, J. F. Madeira, No. 70, Davis Kiteh, Jr., No. 22, James Buek, No. 62, Joseph W. Clymer, No. 27, Benj. Franklin, No. 138, E. F. Stewart, No. 27, H. T. Bibighaus, No. 136, Jonathan Kershaw, No. 29, A. J. Baker, No. 7, S. B. Taylor, No. 79, S. M. Friday, No. 12, P. W. Boyd, No. 43, James Alexander, No. 38, John Shultz, No. 91, Wm. L. Zane, No. 84, G. W. Allen, No. 32, J. C. Young, No. 19, John C. Millhouse, No. 77.

P. G. S. Knipe (Chairman) presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 16th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The undersigned Committee to whom was referred the several petitions for eharters and restoration of eharters, would beg leave to report that they have attended to the duty assigned them, and recommend the following for adoption by this Great Counell:—

FOR RESTORATION OF CHARTERS.

Resolved, That the applieation for the restoration of the eharters of Oseeola Tribe, No. 11; Montezuma Tribe, No. 21; and Oniska Tribe, No. 40, be granted and the eharters restored.

TRIBES INSTITUTED BY DISPENSATION.

Resolved, That the petitions for the following Tribes be approved, and eharters be granted to Lappawinzoe Tribe, No. 154; Shenandoah Tribe, No. 155; Mahantongo Tribe, No. 156; Alletah Tribe, No. 157; Aquashieola Tribe, No. 158; Oekohoeking Tribe, No. 159; Neasham Tribe, No. 160; Arrasapha Tribe, No. 161; Champiola Tribe, No. 162; Cussawago Tribe, No. 163; Hodenausonee Tribe, No. 164.

Resolved, That the aetion of the Great Chiefs in instituting these Tribes by dispensation be approved.

NEW TRIBES.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in Emlenton, Venango County, be approved, and a eharter be granted, to be known as Wannetta Tribe, No. 165.

Resolved, That the petition for a Tribe in East Mauch Chunk, Carbon County, be approved, and a charter be granted, to be known as Lecha Tribe, No. 166.

All of which is respectfully submitted, in F. F. and C.

FRANK C. KNIPE,
A. JACKSON MORGAN,
SAMUEL WRIGHT.

Rep. Kreamer moved the report be accepted and the resolutions adopted, which was agreed to.

Council fire quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PHILADELPHIA, 17*th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D.* 381.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled and kindled their Council fire in ample form, at the 10th run rising of the sun.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

JAMES A. MOSS—Great Sachem.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOSEPH W. CLYMER—Great Junior Sagamore.
J. F. MADEIRA—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
JAMES B. ZIEGLER—Great Sannap.
H. J. STONER—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 11, 14, 17, 18, 19, 22, 26, 27, 29, 30, 32, 33, 34, 37, 38, 41, 43, 44, 45, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 58, 61, 62, 67, 68, 70, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 79, 81, 82, 84, 86, 87, 91, 93, 104, 106, 107, 111, 116, 120, 121, 131, 132, 133, 136, 137, 138, 139, 141, 144, 148, 149, 151, 163, D. C. 1, 2, 4.

Records of last sun read and adopted.

The Great Sachem made the following decisions to questions submitted:—

Question.—"Whether N. C. Gregory is entitled to his seat as Representative to the Great Council of the United States, on account of non-residence in this State?"

Answer.—He is entitled to his seat, as he is still a member in this jurisdiction.

Question.—"Has a Tribe the right to adopt a funeral badge to be worn in place of regalia?"

Answer.—A badge, in the form of a rosette, has been adopted by the Great Council of the United States.

Question.—"Can a D. G. S., or an authorized P. S., occupy the Sachem's stump and raise the chiefs elect in a legal manner, while wearing a Past Sachem's regalia?"

Answer.—Refer to Ritual.

Question.—"Has a Tribe the right to frame a By-Law selecting a certain council sleep in each moon for the conferring of degrees?"

Answer.—It has.

Rep. Eckert presented the following:—

Resolved, That the distribution of the balance of the Chicago Fund be left to the discretion of the Great Sachem.

Pending which, the following Past Sachems were duly admitted:—

Henry Powel,	No. 17	O. B. Keller,	No. 74
Joseph M. Kirby,	" 32	James M. Smith,	" 86
James H. B. Bland,	" 51		

The resolution of Rep. Eckert was then adopted.

G. K. of W. Pierce presented the following:—

Inasmuch as there are doubts in regard to whom different parts of the Great Sachem's Report should be referred, I would most respectfully move that as much as relates to Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, be referred to the Committee on the State of the Order, with power to call for all papers appertaining to the case that are or were in possession of the Great Sachem.

P. G. I. Cameron moved to amend, by adding the records and papers of the Tribe, which was adopted. Ayes, 72; Nays, 18.

On the resolution as amended, a vote by Tribes was demanded by Rep. Brown, Buck, Wobensmith, Craighead, and Supplee, and being ordered were as follows:—

Ayes—3, 4, 8, 14, 17, 18, 19, 27, 29, 30, 33, 34, 38, 41, 43, 48, 49, 50, 51, 67, 68, 70, 73, 74, 76, 77, 79, 81, 82, 84, 86, 87, 90, 93, 104, 106, 107, 111, 113, 120, 121, 131, 133, 139, 141, 144, 148, 149, 151, D. C. 1, 4—51.

Nays—1, 2, 7, 22, 26, 32, 37, 44, 45, 52, 53, 61, 62, 63, 75, 83, 91, 108, 116, 119, 132, 136, 137, 138, 163, D. C. 2—26.

Council fire quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PHILADELPHIA, 17*th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D.* 381.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled and kindled their Council fire in ample form, at the 2d run. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

JAMES A. MOSS—Great Sachem.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOSEPH W. CLYMER—Great Junior Sagamore.
J. F. MADEIRA—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
JAMES B. ZIEGLER—Great Sannap.
H. J. STONER—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 11, 14, 17, 18, 15, 22, 26, 27, 29, 30, 32, 33, 34, 37, 38, 41, 43, 44, 45, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 58, 61, 62, 66, 67, 68, 70, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 79, 81, 82, 84, 86, 87, 91, 93, 100, 104, 106, 107, 108, 111, 116, 120, 121, 131, 132, 136, 137, 138, 139, 141, 144, 148, 149, 151, 163, D. C. 1, 2, 4.

G. C. of R. commenced reading the records of morning session, when Rep. Moore moved to dispense with the reading, which was lost; and the records were then read and approved.

The Great Sachem made the following decisions to questions submitted:—

Question.—"Must a brother attain the Chief's degree to be eligible to the office of Trustee in a Tribe?"

Answer.—No.

Question.—"Must the appointed chiefs consist of members of the Chief's degree, such as Guards, Braves, Warriors, and Sannaps?"

Answer.—No.

The following Past Sachems were duly admitted:—

Jacob Linn,	No. 18	G. Staiger,	No. 19
Allen Smith,	" 19	G. W. Goodwin,	" 116

Rep. Thomas, No. 136, presented the following:—

Resolved, That the G. C. of R. be authorized to notify all Rail Road Companies of the time of the session of the Great Council, and request them to furnish Excursion Tickets to those attending.

P. G. S. Stewart moved to lay on the table. Lost.

The resolution was then adopted.

P. G. S. Stewart, Chairman Committee on Law and Usage, presented the following report:—

PHILADELPHIA, 17th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage to whom was referred the petitions from Nos. 157, 158, 159, 160, and 21, praying that the Past Sachem's degree be conferred upon the brothers who were appointed Prophet at the institution or reorganization of said Tribes, having carefully considered the subject, are of the opinion that some restriction should be placed upon the privilege which has been granted by the Great Council of the United States, and that the degree should not be conferred merely because the brother was appointed Prophet at the institution of the Tribe, but for service rendered by a strict attention to the duties of the position for the term for which he was appointed.

The privilege of conferring the degree was not granted by the Great Council of the United States for the purpose of giving the Tribes a Representative in their Great Council, but as an *honor* for filling the most honorable position in the Tribe, so that the brother should not be compelled to serve as Junior, Senior, and Sachem, before he can receive the degree.

The Committee would submit the following resolution:—

Resolved, That brothers who are appointed Prophet at the institution or reorganization of Tribes (provided there were no Past Sachems in the Tribe at the time of said institution) shall receive the Past Sachem's degree upon the presentation of a certificate, signed by the Sachem and Chief of Records, and with the seal attached, setting forth that they have performed the duties of the position for the term for which they were appointed.

Respectfully submitted,

E. F. STEWART,
C. WIESTENBERG,
GEORGE W. KREAMER.

Rep. Taylor, No. 79, moved to accept the report and adopt the resolution, which was agreed to.

Rep. Moore presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That a special committee of three be appointed to ascertain the contributions made by Tribes to the fund for the relief of the Chicago sufferers, and not mentioned in the Great Sachem's Report.

Rep. Moore, No. 48, Thomas, No. 136, and O'Neil, No. 33, were appointed the committee.

Rep. Taylor, No. 79 (Chairman) presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 17th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Committee to whom was referred the duty of preparing resolutions expressive of the feelings of this Great Council on

the death of P. G. S. Samuel Weaver and P. G. J. S. John M. Larkin, would respectfully present the following for your approval:—

Whereas, It has pleased the Great Spirit, in the dispensation of his all-wise providence, to remove from our midst, by death, our late brother and friend P. G. S. Samuel Weaver; therefore—

Resolved, That while we unmurmuringly bow to this stroke of the chastening rod of our Heavenly Father, we cannot but mourn that one so beloved and useful, and who by a long connection with our Order had endeared himself to all, and especially to those most intimately acquainted with him, by his uniform urbanity and gentleness of disposition, has been called thus suddenly and in so painful a manner from our councils, and that the voice so often heard in advice and encouragement will no more greet our listening ears.

Resolved, That in this bereavement the Order has lost one of its brightest ornaments—one who had a true Red Man's heart, and who ever studied the best interests, and endeavored to promote the welfare of the Order, by a zealous regard for its laws and objects, and in recommending them to others on all suitable occasions, and in his life was nobly exemplified those great principles—Freedom, Friendship, and Charity—which underlie our organization.

Resolved, That we extend our sympathies to our brothers of Cayugas Tribe, No. 31, in their bereavement, and hope that the bright example of the departed will stimulate them to copy his virtues, and follow in his footsteps—the path of duty.

Resolved, That we offer our sincere condolence to the wife and family of our deceased brother, in the hour of darkness and sorrow which has overshadowed them, praying that they may experience the support and consolation of the Great Spirit, and realize the fulfilment of the promise that he will be the widow's God and the father of the fatherless.

Resolved, That the foregoing be entered upon the records of the Great Council, and a copy sent to the Tribe of which P. G. S. Weaver was a member, and that an engrossed copy be presented to the family of our late brother.

Whereas, The Great Spirit has removed from our midst our late brother, P. G. J. S. John M. Larkin, by death; thus reminding us of the frailty of life, and warning us to prepare for the great change that awaits us all—

Resolved, That in this bereavement we recognise the hand of a kind Father, who doeth all things well; and while we shall miss the familiar form and kindly voice of our brother at our councils, we bow with submission to the divine will, and will cherish the memory and strive to emulate the virtues of the departed.

Resolved, That our sympathies be extended to Tuscarora Tribe, No. 29, in the loss they have sustained by the death of brother Larkin, and hope they will profit by his example of devotion to the interests of the Order, and self-sacrificing spirit manifested in advancing its principles.

Resolved, That we sympathize with the wife and family of our departed brother, and would point them to him who is able to succour the distressed, praying that they may ever be sustained by his spirit, and be cheered by the remembrance that their loss is his eternal gain; and if faithful here, they will be reunited to the one who is not lost, but gone before.

Resolved, That the foregoing be entered upon the records, and copies sent to the family of our late brother, and also to the Tribe of which he was a member. Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

S. B. TAYLOR,
WM. G. HOLLIS,
JOHN T. BAER.

Rep. Brown moved to accept the report and adopt the resolutions, which was agreed to.

Great Sachem appointed Rep. Taylor to fill vacancy on the Finance Committee.

Great Sannap, Ziegler, at the request, and in behalf of P. S. Charles Naylor, No. 87, presented to the Great Council a photograph of the late P. G. S. Samuel Weaver, which was received and duly acknowledged by the Great Sachem.

Great Chiefs presented the following report:—

PHILADELPHIA, 17th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Great Chiefs report having received from the Board of Appeals reports on the following:—

Thompson *vs.* No. 31.—In this case the Tribe had refused to reinstate a brother at the expiration of the time for which he had been suspended. The Board reported that the appeal be sustained and the Tribe directed to reinstate said brother in accordance with previous decisions of the Great Council; which was approved by the Great Chiefs.

Drumm *vs.* No. 33.—In this case the Board reported the appeal be dismissed; which was approved by the Great Chiefs.

Walker *vs.* No. 41.—The report of the Board in this case having been presented to us but a short time ago, and the documents in the case being so voluminous, we have not had time to fully examine the same; and desiring that equal and exact justice shall be done the Tribe and brother, we have not approved the report.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

JAMES A. MOSS, *G. S.*
JOHN REBMAN, *G. S. S.*
JOSEPH W. CLYMER, *G. J. S.*
J. F. MADEIRA, *G. P.*
ANDREW J. BAKER, *G. C.* of *R.*
LEWIS C. PIERCE, *G. K. of W.*

P. G. S. Stewart moved that the case of Walker *vs.* No. 41, be made the special order of the 10th run 30th breath, tomorrow's sun. Agreed to.

P. S. Probasco presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the third resolution on page 210 of the Proceedings, at the session held Buck Moon, G. S. D. 380, be rescinded, and the Great Chief of Records instructed to transmit to each Tribe and Beneficial Degree Council, certified copies of the amendments referred to in said resolution, with instructions to hold their election in conformity therewith.

P. G. S. Stewart presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 17th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage would respectfully report that they have had submitted to them amendments to the laws of Nos. 13, 18, 30, 31, 32, 34, 37, 50, 52, 58, 60, 87, 91, 94, 95, 104, and 140, which they have approved.

Also, full sets of laws from Nos. 3, 18, 45, 63, 71, 122, 136, 137, 141, 145, 147, 148, 150, 151, 152, 153, 155, 159, and Degree Council, No. 4, which, after changing to comply with the Constitution and Laws of the Order, and the rulings of this Great Council, they have approved.

The Committee have had considerable trouble with several of the Tribes in regard to certain laws which they have insisted upon retaining in their By-Laws, some of which even this Great Council has not the right to enact, but which belong wholly to the Great Council of the United States.

The Tribes referred to are of but recent institution, and the members not familiar with the laws and rulings of this Great Council and the Great Council of the United States; this action on the part of the Tribes increases the labors of the Committee, and tends to make their duties onerous, consuming more time than is just, or that should be consumed in the performance of their duties. And as the greater part of the work devolves upon the chairman, it has become a matter of serious consideration, whether the time has not arrived for a radical change in this part of the workings of our Order. The question has been spoken of and discussed by many prominent members of the Order, who know what the duties of the Committee are, and every sun only adds fresh evidence that a change is needed.

The Committee would propose, and urge upon the Great Council the propriety of adopting a Code of By-Laws for the government of all the Tribes under its jurisdiction, leaving blank the seven suns dues, adoption

fees, and the weekly and funeral benefits, to be filled up by the Tribes as they see fit, with not less than a minimum sum.

Hoping that the above may receive due consideration, we remain,

Yours in the bonds of F. F. and C.

E. F. STEWART,
C. WIESTENBERG,
GEO. W. KREAMER.

Rep. Metzel moved to accept the report. Agreed to.

P. G. S. Stewart presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 17th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage, to whom was referred the part of the Great Sachem's Report relating to Appeals, Dispensations, and Decisions, would respectfully report that they have carefully examined the Dispensations granted, and find them in accordance with the laws of the Order.

The Appeals were promptly referred to the Board of Appeals, and will be reported in due season.

In relation to the Decisions, the answer to the question propounded by No. 29, was correct, and in accordance with the laws of the Order.

The answer to the question asked by No. 76, is correct, and in accordance with the law.

The decision on the question from No. 131, in reference to the ballot, is correct, and we would reiterate the advice of the Great Sachem, "read and examine your Constitution, and act in accordance therewith, and there will be no trouble."

The answer to the question from No. 142, is correct in the main; yet not as explicit as it might be. A member cannot be suspended from benefits; the laws relating to benefits are only applicable when the member is taken sick, and applies for them; and if he is in arrears for seven suns dues more than three moons, he is not entitled to benefits; but a member suspended for non-payment of dues, or for a crime, is not entitled to any of the benefits of the Tribe, neither can he enter the wigwam during the burning of the council fire.

The decision on the question from Miquon Tribe, No. 50, is correct, and in accordance with former decisions of this Great Council.

The decision given on the question from No. 20, as to the right of a holder of a Withdrawal Card to visit, *is not correct.* A member taking his Withdrawal Card severs his connection with the Tribe, and for the time being with the Order, and is not entitled to enter any wigwam while the council fire is burning until he has deposited his card, and been elected to membership in a Tribe. (See Section 2, Constitution of Great Council of the United States, as printed in the Constitution for the government of Tribes.)

The Committee would offer the following resolution in relation thereto:

Resolved, That the decision of the Great Sachem given to Pawnee Tribe, No. 20, relative to a member having a Withdrawal Card visiting Tribes, be and the same is hereby reversed.

The answer to No. 159, relative to a former member of Mingo Tribe, No. 13, is correct, and in accordance with the law and usage of the Order.

We have also examined the reports of the D. G. S.'s, and find that they have acted in accordance with the law in granting dispensations, and that the decision given by Deputy C. C. Faber, in answer to No. 101, in reference to an expelled member, was correct.

Fraternally submitted,

E. F. STEWART,
C. WIESTENBERG,
GEO. W. KREAMER.

Rep. Langham moved to accept the report, which was agreed to.

P. G. S. Stewart moved that the reports of those Tribes who have *expelled* members for non-payment of dues be referred to the Committee on Law and Usage. Adopted.

P. G. I. Cameron moved that a committee of five be appointed to prepare a code of By-Laws for Tribes.

Rep. Langham moved to lay on the table, which was carried. Ayes, 64; Nays, 9.

P. S. Rambo presented the following:—

Resolved, That a committee of nine be appointed to make arrangements on the part of this Great Council for the Centennial Anniversary of American Independence.

P. G. S. Stewart moved to lay on the table, which was carried. Ayes, 44; Nays, 29.

P. G. I. Cameron moved that two additional members be appointed on the Committee on Digest, and they be instructed to report at the next session, which was adopted.

The Great Sachem appointed P. S.'s Senneff, No. 51, and Goodwin, No. 38.

Rep. Moore presented the following:—

Resolved, That the Great Chiefs be instructed to procure more suitable rooms for the office of the G. C. of R., and the accommodation of committees.

P. G. I. Cameron moved to amend, that they procure a suitable wigwam for the permanent sessions of the Great Council,

at a rent not exceeding one thousand fathoms per annum, which was lost.

The resolution was adopted.

The Great Council proceeded to the consideration of the amendment to the Constitution of Tribes (p. 210), proposed at the session in the Buck Moon last.

Rep. Brown, No. 2, moved to adopt it.

The Great Sachem decided that it could not be considered.

Rep. of Nos. 29, 81, 86, and 149, were excused from further attendance.

On motion, the nominations for Great Chiefs were reopened, when the following were made:—

For G. K. of W.—Thos. A. Winkworth, No. 8, J. F. Madeira, No. 70.

For Rep. G. C. of U. S.—J. Senneff, No. 51, S. Wright, No. 19, R. T. Roberts, No. 56.

Council fire quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PHILADELPHIA, 18*th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D.* 381.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled and kindled the Council fire in ample form, at the 10th run rising of the sun. Roll called.

JAMES A. MOSS—Great Sachem.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOSEPH W. CLYMER—Great Junior Sagamore.
J. F. MADEIRA—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
JAMES B. ZIEGLER—Great Sannap.
H. J. STONER—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 11, 17, 18, 19, 22, 27, 30, 32, 33, 34, 37, 38, 41, 43, 44, 45, 48, 49, 50, 51, 53, 56, 58, 61, 62, 66, 67, 68, 70, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 79, 82, 84. 87, 91, 93, 104, 106, 107, 108, 111, 116, 120, 121, 132, 136, 137, 138, 139, 141, 144, 148, 151, 163.

Records of yesterday's proceedings read, and on motion of Rep. Bashore, No. 151, approved.

The time fixed by the special order for the consideration of the report of the Board of Appeals, in the case of Walker *vs.* No. 41, having arrived, the Great Council proceeded to its consideration.

The report of the Board of Appeals, with the following resolution appended, were read:—

Resolved, That the appeal of Matthew P. Walker against the action of Seneca Tribe, No. 41, in expelling him from membership, be sustained, and the said Tribe be directed to restore him to membership.

P. G. S. Stewart moved that the report of the Board of Appeals be approved, which was adopted.

A certificate from Alletah Tribe, No. 157, was read, stating that J. N. Lytle had served as the first Prophet of their Tribe, that at the time of their institution they had no Past Sachem, and requesting that the honor and rank of P. S. be conferred upon him, and that he be recognised as their Representative.

On motion, the honor and rank of Past Sachem was conferred on J. N. Lytle, of No. 157, and he was acknowledged as the Representative of the Tribe.

The following Past Sachems were duly admitted:—

Wm. Arment,	No. 70	Wm. Ramsey,	No. 118
Wm. Batty,	" 79	J. N. Lytle,	" 157

A number of questions submitted were referred to the Committee on Law and Usage.

Rep. Kreamer presented the following report:—

PHILADELPHIA, 18th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Committee appointed at the annual session, held at Pottsville in Buck Moon last, to make arrangements for the reception and entertainment of the Great Council of the United States, to be held in the City of Philadelphia in Corn Moon, would respectfully offer the following report:—

At the session of the Great Council of the United States, held on the 13th sun of Corn Moon, we extended them an invitation, and also the chiefs of this Great Council, to visit Fairmount Park, and partake of a supper to be

given at Wissahickon, which invitation was accepted; when, at the 2d run on the 14th sun, we, with conveyances, met the Great Council at the Assembly Buildings, Tenth and Chestnut Sts., and conveyed them through the East and West Park, thence to Wissahickon, where we had waiting a supper, to which P. G. S. Gorham, in a few remarks, extended them the hospitalities of the Great Council of Pennsylvania. Ample justice was done to the supper, and after numerous toasts, which were responded to in a happy manner, and at a reasonable run, all hands were conveyed back to the city.

On the 15th sun we extended them an invitation to visit the Walnut Street Theatre on the same sleep, which was accepted, and a large number attended and expressed themselves well pleased.

Your Committee endeavored to use all means in their power to make the visit of our brethren one to be long remembered.

The appropriation of this Great Council did not meet the expenses incurred, as the following will show:—

Received from Great Council				300	0	0
" for sale of tickets				11	5	0
				311	5	0
Expended as follows:—						
Conveyance	80	0	0			
Supper	178	5	8			
Theatre	52	5	0			
Printing badges, and sundries . .	15	4	2			
				326	5	0

Leaving a balance yet to be paid of fifteen fathoms, for which your Committee ask that an order be drawn.

All of which is respectfully submitted, in bonds of F. F. and C.

J. F. MADEIRA,
M. H. GORHAM,
C. WIESTENBERG,
S. B. TAYLOR,
GEO. W. KREAMER.

Rep. Thomas, No. 136, moved that the report be accepted, the thanks of the Great Council returned to the Committee, and the deficiency referred to the Finance Committee, which was agreed to.

Rep. Kemp, No. 148, presented the following:—

Resolved, That there be a committee of nine appointed by the Great Sachem, for the purpose of making arrangements for a State parade in the City of Lancaster, at the next session of this Great Council.

Rep. Kitch moved to lay on the table. Carried.

P. G. I. Cameron presented the following, which was adopted:—

Whereas, The Committee on Cemetery did on yesterday's sun present a report entirely satisfactory to this Great Council, and from which decided advantage is to accrue to the Order in this jurisdiction: *and whereas*, one-fourth the entire number of lots contained in the "Red Men's Rest" have already been disposed of: *and whereas*, it is desirable to have the terms of the agreement complied with at as early a sun as possible: therefore—

Resolved, That this Great Council earnestly urge upon the Tribes to aid the Committee in disposing of the remaining lots among their members and friends.

Resolved, That the Great Chief of Records be and he is hereby instructed to address a special circular, with the seal of this Great Council attached, to the several Tribes, as early as possible, calling their attention to the "Red Men's Rest," stating the price of lots, conditions of payment, and inviting their active co-operation.

G. C. of R. Baker presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That an adjourned session of the Great Council be held on the sleep of the 7th of Snow Moon, at which no other business shall be transacted, except the admission and instruction of Past Sachems.

Rep. Chesley, No. 137, moved that the Great Council proceed to the exemplification of the Unwritten Work, at the 11th run 30th breath, which was agreed to.

P. S. Probasco presented the following, which was adopted:

Whereas, The Committee appointed by the Great Sachem to receive and entertain our fellow Red Men from the various jurisdictions of our common country, who came here to participate in the kindling of the council fire of the Great Council of the United States, have, by the brilliant success of their efforts to give each and all a true Red Man's welcome, merited some recognition of their labors: therefore be it—

Resolved, That the thanks of this Great Council are eminently due and are hereby tendered to P. G. S.'s Madeira, Gorham, Wiestenberg, P. S.'s Taylor and Kreamer, for their untiring zeal and highly creditable manner in which they discharged the duties that devolved upon them.

Representatives of Nos. 3 and 82 were excused from further attendance.

Rep. Kitch, D. C. No. 4, presented the following:—

Whereas, It is necessary and of the utmost importance to the interest and well being of our Order, that the several degrees appertaining thereto

should be fully and conscientiously conferred, in strict compliance with the Ritual: *and whereas*, while in some portions of this jurisdiction Degree Councils have been instituted for this laudable purpose, yet many of the Tribes are lamentably deficient in this respect, and to such an extent as to cause special mention thereof in the Report of the Great Sachem: therefore—

Resolved, That this Great Council recognises the great importance to be attached to the proper conferring of the several degrees, and cordially endorse and approve the efforts of the Degree Councils in this direction.

Resolved, That the Tribes in this jurisdiction are recommended, whenever practicable, to cause the degrees to be conferred on their members by a Degree Council, instituted for that purpose.

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to prepare a plan by which the Degree Councils may be sustained, their efficiency increased, and their numbers so augmented as to make them ready of access to all Tribes in this jurisdiction.

P. G. S. Stewart moved it be referred to the Committee on the State of the Order, which was agreed to.

The 11th run 30th breath having arrived, the Unwritten Work was exemplified by G. I. Eckert, P. G. S. Stewart, and G. J. S. Clymer.

Great Sachem appointed P. S. Campernel, No. 8, on the Board of Appeals, in place of P. S. Hollis.

Council fire quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PHILADELPHIA, 18*th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D.* 381.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled and kindled the Council fire in ample form, at the 2d run setting of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

JAMES A. MOSS—Great Sachem.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOSEPH W. CLYMER—Great Junior Sagamore.
J. F. MADEIRA—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
JAMES B. ZIEGLER—Great Sannap.
H. J. STONER—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 2, 4, 7, 11, 18, 19, 22, 26, 27, 30, 32, 33, 34, 37, 38, 43, 45, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 58, 61, 62, 66, 67, 68, 70, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 79, 84, 87, 91, 93, 100, 104, 106, 107, 108, 111, 116, 120, 121, 132, 133, 136, 137, 138, 139, 141, 144, 148, 151, 157, 163. D. C. 1, 2, 4.

Records of morning session read and approved.

P. S. Hartley presented the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the question propounded by Rep. O'Neil, of No. 33, be referred to G. I. Eckert for his decision.

The following Past Sachems were duly admitted:—

Wm. H. Heck, No. 20 John Whitehead, No. 49

Rep. Wobensmith, from Committee on Returns and Reports, presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 18th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Committee on Returns and Reports beg leave to submit that they have examined the reports of Tribes and Degree Councils, placed in our hands by the G. C. of R., and find them correct, except those hereinafter mentioned.

The reports of Nos. 4, 41, 56, 62, 64, 69, 98, 99, 105, 109, 113, 115, 119, 128, 134, 141, 143, 152, 155, 161, and Degree Councils, Nos. 4, and 5, had not been received on the 12th instant, at the time the Committee met.

The reports of all, except Nos. 98, 115, 134, 152, have been received since the commencement of this session.

The report of No. 80 is incorrect, as per last report they returned 37 members, and at this term they report they returned 1 adoption, 1 suspension, and 35 members, being 2 members less than they have, making a deficiency of 3 feet.

The report of No. 96 is incorrect, as per last report they returned 37 members, and at this term they return 3 adoptions, 1 suspension, and 37 members, being 2 members less than they have, making a deficiency of 3 feet.

The report of No. 105 is incorrect, as per last report they returned 87 members, and at this time they return 2 adoptions, 20 suspensions, one withdrawal, and 55 members, being 13 members less than they have, making a deficiency of 1 fathom 9 feet 5 inches.

The report of No. 125 is incorrect, as per last report they returned 29 members, and at this term they report 2 adoptions, 4 suspensions, and 23 members, being 4 members less than they have, they being only one foot deficient in percentage.

Tribe No. 110 is 9 feet deficient, and No. 143 is 4 feet.

Tribe No. 64 has overpaid 1 fathom 5 feet, and No. 99 has overpaid 2 feet.

There were no seals on the reports of Nos. 90, 151, 155, 158, and 160.

The receipts from different Tribes and Degree Councils for tax, as far as received, are 2751 fathoms 8 feet 5 inches.

All deficiencies from the last session have been paid to the Great Chief of Records.

The Committee are of the opinion that the law in reference to reports should be strictly enforced, and would recommend that the Committee on Returns and Reports should make their report on the first sun of each session of the Great Council.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

JOHN C. MOORE,
F. WOBENSMITH,
GEORGE W. ALLEN.

Which was, on motion, received.

P. S. Hartley, Chairman of Finance Committee, presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 18th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Finance Committee would respectfully report that they have examined the books of the G. C. of R. and G. K. of W., and find the same correct as per statement, as follows:—

	fa.	*ft.*	*in.*
Balance in Belt, Buck Moon	1234	4	1
Receipts at session	3433	3	0
" since session	92	7	1
	4760	4	2
Paid out as per orders	4578	3	3
Balance in Belt	182	0	9
Receipts present session, Tax	2838	5	5
" " Charters	325	0	0
" " Dispensations	183	5	0
" " Books, Cards, &c.	149	4	0
" Card H. B. Walter, late of No. 46	1	6	5
	3680	1	9

We have examined the following bills, and find the same correct:—

Kirsh & Frank, printing German Proceedings	120	0	0
John Benkert, translating	24	0	0
R. L. Dickson, filling charters	5	5	0
Beverly Copes, binding Proceedings	2	5	0

	fa.	ft.	in.
Advertising notice session	1	0	0
Fire Association, insurance at Office	9	0	0
A. J. Baker, G. C. of R., salary	400	0	0
" advanced for supplies G. C. of U. S.	313	0	6
" postage and telegrams	35	2	0
" express, freight, &c.	15	5	9
James A. Moss, G. S., travelling expenses	88	0	0
John Rebman, G. S. S. " "	29	0	0
Thos. K. Donnalley, G. G. F., salary	12	5	0
" " " expressage	1	5	0
Wm. B. Eckert, printing Proceedings, Reports, &c.	337	3	0
E. F. Stewart, Com. Law and Usage	3	3	1
Thos. K. Donnalley, badges	12	7	5
James B. Ziegler, G. Sannap, travelling expenses	10	3	8
Pocahontas Tribe, rent	15	0	0
Janitor at Hall	5	0	0
M. H. Gorham, rent of Office	53	0	0

The following amounts are due for mileage to Representatives:—

John H. Hartzell,	No. 1,		8	5
Thomas W. Brown,	" 2,	3	4	5
Wm. Paxon,	" 11,	4	1	0
R. Supplee,	" 22,	3	4	5
Jonathan Kershaw,	" 29,		7	0
G. McNall,	" 41,	4	6	5
F. Eisemann,	" 44,	3	4	5
Wm. H. Dean,	" 53,		7	0
M. Erb,	" 61,	5	3	0
J. H. Buck,	" 62,		8	5
Cyrus P. Tittle,	" 66,	13	8	0
A. Printz,	" 67,	8	3	0
John D. O. Donnell,	" 68,	10	1	5
W. M. Saylor,	" 74,	2	9	0
H. R. Bossert,	" 75,	2	0	0
Reese Evans,	" 77,	7	7	0
Jorrel L. Kelly,	" 81,	1	0	0
M. J. Thomas,	" 82,	4	5	5
E. N. R. Ohl,	" 84,	3	3	5
John Shultz,	" 91,	5	3	0
Thomas Ramsey,	" 93,	4	7	0
Eli R. Miller,	" 100,	5	4	5
Andrew Elliot,	" 106,	4	4	5
Joseph Philips,	" 107,	5	9	0
C. C. Faber,	" 108,	6	2	0
James T. Carroll,	" 111,	18	5	0

			fa.	ft.	in.
A. T. Wenner,	No. 120,	. . . . .	5	6	5
C. Ellis,	" 121,	. . . . .	6	2	5
J. Burr Reddig,	" 131,	. . . . .	7	3	5
Thomas E. Lewis,	" 132,	. . . . .	7	6	5
Selim S. Thomas,	" 136,	. . . . .	4	3	0
David C. Chesley,	" 137,	. . . . .	22	0	0
Lewis Hancoek,	" 141,	. . . . .	8	1	0
John Kemp,	" 148,	. . . . .	6	9	5
John Packwood,	" 149,	. . . . .		7	0
H. J. Bashore,	" 151,	. . . . .	6	0	5
W. H. R. Kelty,	" 163,	. . . . .	25	2	5
George Metzel, D. C.	" 2,	. . . . .	4	7	0
Davis Kitch, "	" 4,	. . . . .	3	4	5

Your Committee would offer the following resolutions, and ask their adoption:—

Resolved, That orders be drawn for the several bills reported correct.

Resolved, That in view of changing the sessions to Flower and Beaver Moons, and the election of chiefs of Tribes to Worm and Corn Moons, that the per capita tax to be paid by Tribes, in making returns for the quarter ending Worm Moon next, be eight inches.

Resolved, That the petition of Yemassee Tribe, No. 134, be granted, and that the wampum due by them at this session be remitted, and no per capita tax and fees for adoption be required to accompany their report at this session.

Resolved, That an order be drawn in favor of the Committee on Reception of the G. C. of U. S. for deficiency, for fifteen fathoms.

Resolved, That an appropriation of fifty fathoms be made to P. G. S. E. F. Stewart, Chairman of Committee on Law and Usage, as a partial consideration for the time and labor given to the duties of said Committee for many great suns. The Committee deem this inadequate, but the above being all the Wampum Belt will allow at present.

Resolved, That the Great Chiefs purchase for investment one thousand fathoms 5-20 bonds, within seven suns after quenching the council fire of this stated session, and the Great Sachem and G. C. of R. are hereby authorized to draw on the G. K. of W. for the wampum to purchase the same, and to deposit the same in Fidelity Trust Company, subject to the action of this Great Council.

Your Finance Committee would also recommend the following:—

Whereas, Owing to the defection of a number of members of Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, and among the rest the K. of W., to whom said defecting members voted the wampum in the Belt, leaving the Tribe penniless and depending on the charity of the members of the Order generally, pending a suit against the K. of W.: therefore be it—

Resolved, That the amount of per capita tax and fees for adoption paid at the present session be returned to them, to assist them in carrying out the good work.

W. H. HARTLEY,
S. B. TAYLOR.

Rep. Kreamer moved to accept the report and proceed to the consideration of the resolutions, which was agreed to.

The resolutions were severally read and adopted.

The report was then, on motion, adopted.

Rep. Kreamer moved that an appropriation of one hundred fathoms be made to the Great Chiefs, for the removal of office and purchase of additional furniture, which was agreed to.

Rep. Moore (Chairman) presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 18th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Committee appointed to ascertain what amount the different Tribes donated to the relief of the Chicago sufferers, not mentioned in the Great Sachem's Report, beg leave to offer the following as the result of their investigation:—

Tribe	No. 1,	25 fathoms,	and 4 fathoms from brothers.
"	" 22,	25	"
"	" 18,	25	"
"	" 19,	10	"
"	" 29,	25	"
"	" 33,	20	"
"	" 41,	25	"
"	" 43,	25	"
"	" 51,	25	"
"	" 58,	100	" to N. West and Chicago, 50 fa. a piece.
"	" 61,	25	"
"	" 70,	25	"
"	" 48,	25	"
"	" 73,	25	"
"	" 84,	20	"

The following Representatives informed your Committee that their Tribes have contributed to the fund, but could not state the amount, to wit: Nos. 82 and 137; but will inform the G. C. of R. in time to be spread on the Proceedings of this Great Council.

We have since been informed that Tribe No. 52 have also made a donation, the amount your Committee has not been informed of.

JOHN C. MOORE,
SELIM S. THOMAS,
E. V. O'NEIL.

On motion, the report was accepted.

G. C. of R. Baker moved that the price of Vols. I and III Proceedings be reduced to two fathoms each, which was agreed to.

Rep. Kreamer moved that the G. C. of R. procure new Books of Ceremonies for the use of the Great Council, which was agreed to.

Rep. Gorham, Chairman of Committee on the State of the Order, presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 18th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

The Committee on the State of the Order, to whom was referred certain preamble and resolutions, respectfully report that while a lack of interest in the Degree Councils is to be deplored, there are no means, so far as your Committee are aware, under existing laws, by which Tribes can be compelled to send their members to Degree Councils. The only thing which occurs to us likely to secure the desired result, is to have the work made interesting in its delivery, and always ample and complete.

The time allowed the Committee at the present session precludes the possibility of reporting anything like a matured plan, as contemplated by the resolutions submitted to them.

The Committee offer the following resolution:—

Resolved, That the Great Chiefs, as well as the Deputy Great Sachems, be requested to use their earnest endeavors with the Tribes to send their members to the Degree Councils to receive their degrees.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

MORRIS H. GORHAM,
ROBERT SIMS.

On motion, the report was accepted, and the Great Council proceeded to the consideration of the resolution, which was adopted. Ayes, 52; Nays, 19.

Rep. Kitch offered the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the Great Sachem be directed to notify all Tribes that they will be required hereafter to confer the degrees according to the full ceremony.

P. G. S. Stewart (Chairman) presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 18th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage, to whom was referred the returns of certain Tribes who were reported as having

expelled members for non-payment of dues, would respectfully call the attention of the Tribes to the law relative to the case of members who become in arrears to the Tribe for dues, fines, &c., for more than one great sun (see Section 9, Article XVIII, Constitution of Tribes), which, in the opinion of the Committee, is sufficiently plain, that no one can be mistaken as to its meaning if they read it, namely: that members cannot be *expelled* for non-payment of dues; but must be *suspended from the rights and privileges of the Order*, and that Tribes who have acted thus have violated the law.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

E. F. STEWART,
C. WIESTENBERG,
GEO. W. KREAMER.

On motion, the report was adopted.

Rep. Thomas, No. 136, presented the following:—

Whereas, The City of Philadelphia has been selected by the United States Government to hold a Centennial Convention, and as other organizations have taken and acted upon it by appointing committees to look after the interest of their respective bodies; therefore—

Resolved, That the Great Sachem appoint a committee of thirteen Past Sachems, consisting of seven from the city and six from the country.

The Great Sachem decided the resolution out of order, for the reason that a resolution for the same purpose was laid upon the table by a vote of the Great Council during yesterday's session. The proper way is to call up that motion, when amendments to the same will be in order.

Rep. Metzel presented the following, which was adopted:—

Whereas, The Committee appointed by this Great Council to select a site for a Cemetery, to be known as the RED MEN'S REST, have presented their report, which was adopted by the Great Council, stating that they had selected such site: *and whereas*, it is deemed proper that every Tribe and member of the Order should give their active and earnest co-operation in carrying forward an enterprise so eminently calculated to show to pale faces a tangible proof of our desire to comply with our duty to "bury the dead" of our Order; therefore be it—

Resolved, That the Representatives and members of this Great Council personally urge upon the Tribes outside of the City of Philadelphia to secure at least one lot, so that the whole Order may be represented in the "Red Men's Rest."

Rep. Rulon moved that the Great Chiefs be directed to procure the full and necessary paraphernalia for all the ceremonies of the Tribes, to be used by them at the institution of new Tribes.

P. S. Boyd moved to lay it on the table. Adopted.

The Great Council proceeded to the consideration of the amendment to Article XVI, Sec. 1, By-Laws, offered at last session (p. 210).

Which was read, and, on motion, adopted.

On agreeing to the amendment to Article XVI, Section 5, to insert "held in the Flower Moon," a vote by Tribes was demanded by Rep. Hartzel, Chesley, Kelty, Kitch, and Shultz, and being ordered were as follows:—

Ayes—4, 33, 51—3.

Nays—1, 2, 3, 7, 8, 11, 14, 18, 19, 22, 26, 27, 30, 32, 34, 37, 38, 41, 43, 44, 45, 48, 49, 50, 52, 53, 58, 61, 62, 66, 67, 68, 70, 73, 74, 76, 77, 79, 83, 84, 87, 91, 93, 100, 104, 106, 107, 108, 116, 118, 119, 120, 121, 126, 132, 136, 137, 138, 139, 141, 144, 148, 151, 157, 163, D. C. 1, 2, 4—68.

So the amendment was rejected.

Rep. Metzel moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendment to Article XVI, Sec. 1, was adopted, which was agreed to.

And on the question to adopt, it was rejected.

The following questions having been submitted, were referred to the Committee on Law and Usage:—

1. A Committee appointed upon a pale face reports as follows:—

One reports favorable.
One reports unfavorable.
The third does not report.

Can a ballot be had on the above report?

Answer.—No. The case must be referred back to the committee, and a majority of the committee must report *favorable* or *unfavorable* before a ballot can be had.

2. What is meant by another jurisdiction?

Answer.—Any State or Territory where the Order exists outside of Pennsylvania.

3. When does the present term of the chiefs of the Degree Councils expire?

Answer.—In the Worm Moon.

4. If a Tribe, at its institution, becomes involved in debt for regalia and other property necessary to the work, and should surrender their charter and all property belonging to them, would the Great Council take possession of them without assuming their debts?

Answer.—Yes. The Great Council in taking possession of the property, to be held in trust, *does not assume the debts of the Tribe.*

5. Is it lawful for members of this Order, wishing to raise an old charter, to get names to their application of members of said defunct Tribe who have no intention of connecting themselves with the same; also to get names from a distance when there are about forty members of the old Tribe living in the town where the Tribe is to be reorganized?

Answer.—If five members of a defunct Tribe sign the application for the restoration of its charter, the application is legal. It is not requisite that they should live within the limits of the town in which said Tribe formerly existed or is to be reorganized. If forty, or one hundred, of the old members of the defunct Tribe live in the place, and allow its charter to be surrendered, it will not prevent *five* of its members from applying for, and having the charter restored, and the Tribe reorganized.

P. G. S. E. F. STEWART,
P. G. S. C. WIESTENBRG,
P. S. GEO. W. KREAMER.

Council fire quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

ADJOURNED SESSION.

PHILADELPHIA, *7th Sun, Snow Moon, G. S. D.* 381.

The Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled in accordance with the resolution adopted at the regular session, and kindled the Council fire in ample form, on the sleep of the above sun.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

JAMES A. MOSS—Great Sachem.
WM. B. ECKERT—Great Senior Sagamore, *pro tem.*
JOSEPH W. CLYMER—Great Junior Sagamore.
J. F. MADEIRA—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
JOHN C. MOORE—Great Sannap, *pro tem.*
H. J. STONER—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

Certificates were read, setting forth that G. F. Boyer, No. 152, and Jacob Crossley, No. 153, had been appointed Prophet at the institution of, and had served to the end of the term in their respective Tribes.

The following Past Sachems were admitted and duly instructed:—

Levi J. Landis,	No.	1	Jos. Neungesser,	No.	62
Elijah Kreible,	"	1	Wm. C. Jones,	"	62
W. H. H. Cressey,	"	7	H. Vandersliee,	"	76
Wm. G. Palmer,	"	17	Wn. H. Brown,	"	76
Thos. H. Newman,	"	18	John P. Brown,	"	76
Israel J. Fisher,	"	19	H. E. Williams,	"	83
Edward J. Keenan,	"	26	Steph. M. Hall,	"	83
Frederick Hubb,	"	27	Samuel J. Glenn,	"	113
Walker Burkeit,	"	27	John Jones,	"	118
Thos. Brenner,	"	32	Wilson Rex,	"	118
J. S. Steel,	"	45	Jacob Stout,	"	118
J. Moyer,	"	49	Washington Buckley,	"	138
Harry Larke,	"	51	John Barnholdt,	"	139

Council fire quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

Certificates for the following were received, examined, and found correct: the Past Sachems not presenting themselves for admission:—

Wm. Schoenberger,	No.	2
Geo. Meisley,	"	4
Wm. C. McFarland,	"	12
Daniel W. Brower,	"	13
James McKee,	"	20
H. B. McNeil,	"	22
H. H. Keenan,	"	27
Wm. Kershaw,	"	29
Thos. A. McDowell,	"	30
Thos. Gibson,	"	33
John W. Baum,	"	37
L. M. Williams,	"	39
Henry Cooley,	"	43
Reinhard Reiner,	"	44
Edward S. Deemer,	"	45
J. Frank Jacoby,	"	48
Joseph Rogers,	"	49
Thos. Minzer,	"	52
Philp Nagle,	"	53
David Hunter,	"	56
Frederick H. Clair,	"	59
Henry Viering,	"	60
Jacob Kohler,	"	61
Samuel Ferrell,	"	63
Harry Dorwart,	"	63
Frederick Dietz,	"	64
Benjamin F. Watson,	"	65
John Gore,	"	66
Emanuel Bach,	"	67
A. Letterman,	"	68
Wm. H. McClellan,	"	71
Samuel Miller,	"	75
J. L. Vastine,	"	77
Geo. Rausch,	"	78
John W. Smith,	"	82
E. D. Baldwin,	"	83
Steward Altemus,	"	84
Albert Shultz,	"	85
Cyrus Rhoads,	No.	88
Joseph H. Miller,	"	90
Aaron Emanuel,	"	91
James W. Evans,	"	92
John Spahr,	"	93
Edward Rawlings,	"	94
G. B. Tregloan,	"	94
C. Kaufman,	"	97
Wm. Satzler,	"	98
H. D, Kauffman,	"	99
Emanuel Frey,	"	100
A. D. Morganthall,	"	101
John Robinson,	"	102
John W. Douthitt,	"	103
Samuel F. Collins,	"	106
David W. Price,	"	107
Edward Bradin,	"	109
Edward Meredith,	"	110
Jas. J. McClain,	"	113
W. H. Neiler,	"	116
S. B. Rhawn,	"	121
David Henry,	"	122
John T. Hardcastle,	"	123
Isaac D. Conrad,	"	124
Alfred Specht,	"	124
Henry S. Freed,	"	124
Horace F. Kinginger,	"	125
Wm. H. Lansinger,	"	129
E. M. Ebur,	"	136
Wm. R. Williams,	"	141
Cyrus M. Swain,	"	143
H. A. Plance,	"	147
John G. Leidig,	"	150
G. F. Boyer,	"	152
Oscar Foust,	"	153
Jacob Crossley,	"	153
John A. Phillips,	"	156
Henry Miller, D. C.	"	4

RECEIPTS FROM BOOKS, CARDS, &c.

FURNISHED TO TRIBES.

No.	*fa.*	*ft.*	*in.*
3	6	0	0
4		1	5
5	1	0	5
11	18	0	0
14		7	5
17	5	0	0
18		6	0
19		3	0
21	19	6	0
22	7	0	0
28		7	5
31	1	7	5
38	5	0	0
40	18	5	0
45		9	0
54	2	0	0
62	5	0	0
66	5	0	0
69	2	4	0
79		4	5
83	1	0	0
95		6	5
104	1	8	0
106	3	0	0
107	2	4	0
118	1	8	0
121	2	1	0
123		4	5
131	1	5	0
132	3	7	5
134		5	0
135		3	0
136	2	7	0
137	2	2	5
139	3	0	0
142	1	8	0
143	1	8	0
146	2	7	0
147	3	0	0
148	3	7	5
150		9	0
151	4	5	0
152	1	7	5
155	1	5	0
158		3	0
	149	4	0

DISPENSATION FEES RECEIVED.

G. S.	James A. Moss	78	0	0
G. S. S.	John Rebman	17	5	0
D. G. S.	J. C. Carter	8	0	0
"	John Shultz	11	5	0
"	H. C. Baldwin	1	0	0
"	J. W. Whitman	4	5	0
"	John L. Holtzworth	1	5	0
"	M. J. Thomas	13	0	0
"	Isaac Coffman	2	0	0
"	A. B. Flood	1	5	0
"	E. Wilvert	3	0	0
"	T. B. Richard	3	0	0
"	C. C. Faber	2	0	0
"	Thos. C. Gumert	2	5	0
"	R. Hopkins	1	0	0
"	J. E. Valentine	5	5	0
"	H. A. Plance	28	0	0
		183	5	0

. SIX MOONS REPORT OF TRIBES FOR THE TERM ENDING 30TH OF HUNTING MOON, G. S. D. 380.

TRIBES.	No.	Amount of receipts.			Expended for relief of brothers.			Expended for funeral benefits.			Expended for other purposes.			Tax paid Great Council.			Number of members.	Past Sachems.	Adopted.	Rejected.	Suspended.	Expelled.	Reinstated.	Admitted by card	Withdrawn by card.	Deceased.
		fa.	ft.	in.	fa.	ft.	in.	fa.	ft.	in.	fa.	ft.	in.	fa.	ft.	in.										
Teeumseh	1	354	1	5	64	0	0	50	0	0	104	8	4	17	5	5	107	9	6	3	3	..	..	..	..	1
Metamora	2	524	8	2	191	2	5	83	0	0	125	5	5	31	2	5	205	30	2	..	4	.	..	..	..	1
Leni Lenape	3	1376	3	8	285	0	0	50	0	0	1041	3	8	72	8	0	322	4	98	3	5	..	..	1	1	2
Kuquenaku	4	169	1	1	146	0	0	100	0	0	91	7	5	11	4	0	76	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
Pocahontas	5	2133	1	6	384	0	0	275	0	0	1213	3	1	48	5	5	317	39	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	3
Wyoming	7	228	9	1	35	0	0	50	0	0	137	7	8	13	5	5	87	14	2	..	20	..	..	1	..	1
Shawnese	8	364	0	5	30	0	0	25	0	0	122	9	5	18	0	5	117	27	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Osceola	11	84	5	0	....			....			45	2	0	3	5	0	21	4	14	..	..	..	3	4	..	..
Susquehanna	12	553	5	5	200	0	0	....			78	0	3	27	5	5	137	7	28	1	19	..	..	..	..	..
Perkiomen	13	383	9	7	122	0	0	....			293	5	7	18	3	5	99	6	14	1	6	..	..	..	1	..
Mohawk	14	383	6	8	196	0	0	150	0	0	88	1	5	19	3	5	124	23	3	..	4	..	..	..	..	3
Pontiac	15	1825	0	0	344	0	0	473	7	5	755	9	4	28	7	5	175	17	10	2	12	..	..	..	1	5
Chattahoochee	17	153	1	1	39	0	0	....			74	5	8	6	5	5	42	17	1	..	12	..	..	..	..	..
Pequod	18	1430	0	5	1105	0	0	350	0	0	1177	0	4	63	6	0	394	33	18	..	11	1	1	..	1	2
Cherokee	19	1117	7	5	243	0	0	....			1044	8	6	23	0	5	142	27	7	..	6	..	2	..	..	..
Pawnee	20	289	3	5	30	0	0	....			133	3	0	14	8	0	82	8	10	..	10	..	2	1	..	1
Montezuma	21	46	0	0	....			....			27	6	0	2	0	0	10	..	8	..	..	..	..	2	..	..
Eeshahkonee	22	704	9	1	352	0	0	185	0	0	163	8	3	41	1	0	259	41	9	2	4	1	..	..	..	..
Black Hawk	26	487	8	9	279	0	0	75	0	0	121	8	2	24	4	0	126	18	22	..	3	..	..	1	..	2
Mohegan	27	756	0	6	206	0	0	60	0	0	316	5	0	30	3	5	164	22	23	..	9	..	1	1	..	1
Conestoga	28	239	8	8	52	0	0	....			336	4	6	12	5	5	77	5	4	..	15	..	1	..	1	1
Tusearora	29	593	2	5	98	0	0	....			203	7	0	24	4	5	158	17	3	..	10	..	1	..	..	1
Seminole	30	458	9	7	25	0	0	....			491	6	1	24	0	0	135	18	15	..	19	..	..	..	1	..
Cayugas	31	450	4	5	80	0	0	30	0	0	385	1	4	21	3	5	119	21	14	3	..	..	1	..	1	1
Wissahickon	32	412	3	3	94	0	0	....			269	2	4	14	3	5	84	17	7	..	9	..	1	..	..	..
Wingohocking	33	1216	4	9	222	0	0	....			417	9	0	49	9	5	288	16	27	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
Moscosco	34	568	9	4	....			....			400	5	7	36	7	0	153	4	55	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Winnebago	35	264	3	2	80	0	0	....			171	1	3	8	4	5	53	8	2	..	10	..	..	..	..	..
Conewago	37	1169	3	0	375	7	5	460	0	0	368	2	5	33	7	0	223	24	1	..	13	..	..	..	..	3
Sagoyewatha	38	528	4	3	376	0	0	100	0	0	134	6	0	28	2	5	145	13	26	..	9	..	5	2	..	3
Chiquesalungo	39	347	2	9	82	5	0	150	4	6	21	3	0	19	8	0	122	11	6	..	10	..	..	..	4	..
Oniska	40	45	2	8	....			....			25	0	0	3	2	5	15	..	13	..	..	..	2	..	..	..
Seneca	41	294	6	7	154	5	0	....			197	1	9	28	1	5	151	17	22	1	..	1	1	..	..	..
Iroquois	42	175	1	4	33	0	0	15	0	0	....			10	6	5	71	14	..	..	8	..	1	..	1	..
Narraganset	43	329	5	8	78	0	0	....			249	7	5	14	9	5	98	16	1	..	4	..	..	..	1	..
Red Jacket	44	669	8	5	240	0	0	....			238	7	8	26	9	0	176	21	1	1	20	..	1	..	..	1

Miantonomo	45	300	8	6	16	0	0	....	283	9	9	20	9	5	103	5	22	..	..	..	..	2	..	..
Uppowoc	47	165	3	0	94	0	0	100	0	0	63	6	4	9	3	0	62	15	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	2
Powhatan	48	499	9	5	287	0	0	....	72	4	0	25	3	0	152	23	10	1	1	..	..	1	..	1
Coaquanock	49	603	8	5	339	5	0	102	6	4	135	7	5	18	2	0	118	19	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
Miquon	50	285	5	0	60	0	0	60	0	0	187	0	6	12	9	5	78	17	5	..	10	..	..	1	..	..
Chippewa	51	383	8	3	151	0	0	112	0	0	216	9	6	23	4	5	143	22	8	..	9	..	..	..	1	1
Camanchee	52	579	6	6	265	0	6	100	0	0	262	9	1	20	6	5	136	14	1	..	12	..	2	..	..	1
Washita	53	1081	9	6	117	0	0	....	1173	5	1	35	5	0	205	19	19	3	11	..	1	..	..	..
Wyandotte	54	224	9	3	40	0	0	....	70	2	4	10	8	5	64	7	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wyalusing	56	217	1	5	116	0	0	50	0	0	76	8	5	15	6	0	104	16	..	..	8	..	..	..	..	1
Allegheny	57	614	3	1	221	0	0	159	0	0	306	6	7	36	6	5	221	13	14	1	3	..	..	..	..	..
Allequippa	58	266	4	5	50	0	0	....	134	0	5	10	9	0	61	4	7	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Otsego	59	156	6	9	86	0	0	....	67	7	2	13	9	0	91	10	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..
Kickenapawling	60	333	1	5	110	0	0	150	0	0	165	3	4	17	1	0	99	11	9	2	9	..	1	..	..	3
Cornplanter	61	696	6	8	200	0	6	....	390	4	3	17	0	0	105	9	5	..	6	..	1	..	1	..
Beaver	62	467	0	3	107	0	0	....	131	3	5	23	8	5	139	7	12	..	7	..	7	..	..	..
Wawatam	63	444	3	6	196	0	0	....	35	0	8	11	5	0	75	10	1	..	6	..	..	..	..	..
Ottowa	64	782	9	2	240	0	0	508	4	0	132	1	2	26	4	0	156	11	6	..	1	..	..	..	..	5
Kishacaquillas	65	98	8	6	21	0	0	....	49	2	3	7	4	5	43	7	4	..	3	..	1	..	..	..
Kiskiminitas	66	331	6	1	66	0	0	....	85	8	8	17	8	5	114	6	3	..	19	..	2	..	..	..
Ongpatonga	67	202	6	1	39	0	0	....	102	9	5	16	3	5	99	5	6	..	2	..	..	..	..	1
Arrapahoe	68	582	5	8	153	0	0	60	0	0	243	5	1	12	0	5	77	8	2	..	2	1	2	..	..	1
Shohomokin	69	295	8	0	54	0	0	....	217	6	4	13	5	0	70	5	12	1	..	..	..	..	..	3	..
Penobscot	70	460	1	7	133	0	0	25	0	0	434	2	7	21	6	0	134	12	6	..	10	..	2	..	..	..
Mattawanna	71	104	5	3	5	0	0	....	88	5	9	9	2	0	53	8	5	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Tonnaluka	72	160	6	5	18	0	0	....	85	7	1	8	6	5	51	4	4	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Idaho	73	647	2	8	264	0	0	100	0	0	282	5	5	38	2	5	220	8	21	..	15	..	1	1	..	2
Juniata	74	403	5	5	31	0	0	50	0	0	121	9	0	14	3	0	82	7	8	..	8	..	..	2	..	..
Winona	75	424	3	0	148	0	0	....	214	3	0	25	5	0	105	6	39	3	7	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nevada	76	882	6	9	144	0	0	146	1	5	580	1	5	42	7	5	235	12	30	2	18	..	1	..	..	..
Mahoning	77	467	0	0	164	3	4	50	0	0	222	0	3	23	4	5	123	8	20	..	5	..	..	..	..	1
Codorus	78	320	2	4	66	5	0	25	0	0	94	5	0	12	0	0	70	6	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Minnewa	79	325	8	5	....			....	265	4	5	17	8	0	102	6	10	1	19	..	..	1	1	..
Swatara	80	64	0	0	....			....	5	0	0	15	5	0	35	6	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Tonnawanda	81	383	0	1	69	0	0	....	159	1	4	12	1	5	76	7	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Miami	82	227	5	0	53	0	0	....	99	1	0	8	4	0	56	5	..	..	7	..	3	1	..	..
Onondaga	83	175	7	5	112	0	0	....	156	0	9	7	2	5	45	6	2	..	10	..	1	..	..	1
Saranac	84	554	9	0	132	0	0	....	257	9	6	21	5	5	117	7	16	..	2	1	..	..	..	..
Tamany	85	113	5	5	26	0	0	....	114	8	7	4	0	5	27	5	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..
Lenni	86	352	7	5	54	0	0	....	80	8	4	21	4	5	118	5	15	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Sioux	87	905	4	4	500	0	0	120	0	0	244	9	5	48	4	5	303	7	12	..	46	1	..	1	..	4
Kittatinny	88	57	0	1	....			....	61	3	0	5	6	5	31	6	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waunepewink	89	127	1	6	7	0	0	....	105	6	6	9	8	0	62	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kickapoo	90	227	1	0	....			....	59	2	5	13	6	5	66	4	15	2	5	..	..	..	2	..
Octoraro	91	467	2	3	292	0	0	....	171	8	1	24	6	5	141	6	14	..	3	..	..	..	1	..

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TRIBES.	No.	Amount of receipts.	Expended for relief of brothers.	Expended for funeral benefits.	Expended for other purposes.	Tax paid Great Council.	Number of members.	Past Sachems.	Adopted.	Rejected.	Suspended.	Expelled.	Reinstated.	Admitted by card.	Withdrawn by card.	Deceased.
		fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.										
Wopwollopen	92	246 6 7	24 0 0	....	97 7 8	14 8 0	92	5	4	..	25	..	..	..	..	..
Conewingo	93	510 4 5	328 0 0	....	183 5 0	22 0 5	142	7	3	..	6	1	2	1	..	..
Honayawus	94	203 0 0	92 0 0	....	118 4 6	10 5 5	57	5	4	1	6	..	..	1	..	..
Otzinachson	95	77 1 5	....	....	17 9 1	4 3 5	24	2	3	..	10	..	..	..	3	..
Juskakaka	96	97 6 0	16 0 0	....	103 5 5	6 4 5	37	6	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Malaeska	97	28 5 0	....	....	....	3 8 5	19	3	4	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Alpharetta	98	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Standing Stone	99	163 0 5	11 0 0	15 0 0	83 9 5	12 2 5	67	6	8	2	3	..	..	..	1	..
Yo Semite	100	185 6 8	31 0 0	....	78 0 0	10 8 0	67	4	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Uncas	101	85 7 9	8 0 0	....	103 5 6	8 4 5	53	5	2	..	8	..	1	..	..	..
Bald Eagle	102	145 9 1	16 0 0	....	124 8 0	10 6 5	61	3	6	1	14	..	1	1	..	..
Youghiogheny	103	310 7 7	40 0 0	86 2 5	227 3 5	12 8 5	79	5	4	..	3	..	..	..	..	1
Absaraka	104	542 1 0	200 0 0	....	312 6 8	23 1 0	134	5	12	1	10	..	..	..	8	1
Navajo	105	229 6 2	28 2 8	....	....	8 7 5	55	3	2	..	20	..	..	..	1	..
Chingachqook	106	432 2 2	68 0 0	43 5 0	122 0 5	16 1 0	89	4	11	1	2	..	..	..	..	..
Saukie	107	697 7 8	400 0 0	120 0 0	265 3 8	25 3 5	154	5	9	..	2	..	..	..	7	2
Conodogwinit	108	242 4 0	67 0 0	....	197 8 4	12 4 5	73	4	6	1	7	1	..	..	1	..
Red Warrior	109	239 5 7	40 0 0	....	295 6 0	14 4 0	86	5	6	1	10	1	..	..	..	..
Lackawana	110	214 0 5	87 0 0	....	154 4 0	10 8 0	62	3	6	2	1	..	..	1	..	..
Minnehaha	111	214 1 0	61 0 0	....	....	12 6 5	66	4	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Nemocalling	112	251 9 1	20 0 0	....	130 3 3	10 0 5	57	4	6	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Osage	113	342 4 3	40 0 0	....	238 8 5	25 1 0	139	3	17	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
Chickasaw	114	188 3 1	60 0 0	....	15 0 0	11 2 0	73	4	1	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Itah	115	256 0 1	27 0 0	....	175 5 1	15 2 0	53	3	29	3	13	..	..	..	4	1
Quoekelinik	116	333 4 8	46 0 0	....	390 2 6	18 4 5	113	4	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Teedyuscung	117	143 9 6	95 0 0	....	14 7 7	10 4 5	68	4	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..
Manaiung	118	379 8 5	61 0 0	....	470 8 5	19 7 5	130	5	1	..	4	..	..	..	7	..
Wahoo	119	273 2 6	88 0 0	20 0 0	59 6 4	11 2 5	70	4	3	2	15	..	..	..	1	..
Kiowas	120	232 1 3	9 0 0	....	144 0 0	10 8 0	57	3	9	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Catawissa	121	126 1 1	....	....	86 5 0	8 0 0	45	3	5	2	1	..	..	..	..	..
Opekasset	122	185 1 0	15 0 0	....	73 9 4	16 5 5	62	4	29	1	6	..	..	..	..	..
Wampanoag	123	138 2 0	....	....	56 7 5	7 3 5	44	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mingo	124	36 7 6	....	....	17 2 5	5 5 5	32	3	3	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Manitobah	125	125 9 5	....	....	....	5 6 0	34	3	2	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Cohocksink	126	161 3 0	39 0 0	....	195 0 0	10 0 5	62	3	3	..	7	..	..	..	..	..
Mohican	127	643 6 8	13 0 0	....	192 2 0	19 6 5	101	2	18	2	1	..	..	1	..	..

Maconaquah	128	368 8 5	....	....	375 0 3	9 5 0	55	2	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Catoctin	129	169 9 1	8 0 0	....	53 7 7	9 5 0	60	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Minnequa	130	173 4 2	55 0 0	....	61 3 5	8 8 5	44	3	9	..	1	..	..	..	2	..
Sawquehanna	131	50 8 0	....	....	64 0 6	5 1 0	34	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nescopec	132	661 3 6	376 4 5	....	292 5 7	25 2 5	165	2	2	..	22	1	..	..	6	1
Wissinoming	133	212 3 4	8 0 0	....	195 0 0	17 0 5	77	4	22	..	1	..	..	1	..	1
Yemassee	134	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Weccacoe	135	525 7 4	26 0 0	20 0 0	75 1 2	9 1 5	51	2	6	1	7	..	..	..	1	1
Quittapahilla	136	85 2 6	....	....	76 1 0	8 4 5	53	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	5	..
Venango	137	376 9 1	40 0 0	....	284 6 4	16 4 5	78	2	19	..	..	..	..	1	14	..
Shakahappo	138	275 7 3	82 0 0	....	167 2 9	15 3 5	79	3	14	1	7	..	..	..	..	..
Passyunk	139	1066 7 4	77 0 0	....	528 1 0	80 8 5	319	4	132	2	7	..	..	..	..	..
Nay Aug	140	690 4 5	60 0 0	....	216 1 1	30 3 5	109	3	56	3	..	..	..	..	1	1
Panooka	141	548 6 4	....	....	463 5 6	19 2 5	80	2	29	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Accomac	142	230 7 9	....	....	131 5 3	8 3 5	49	2	4	..	3	..	..	..	..	..
Monongahela	143	204 1 5	70 0 0	....	164 2 7	11 1 0	69	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Massasoit	144	168 9 6	....	....	80 3 9	16 0 5	82	1	15	1	1	2	..	1	1	1
Poutaxet	145	219 9 7	....	....	189 8 5	16 0 0	70	5	22	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
P'Sskemuquohiki	146	324 0 0	....	....	138 9 6	11 9 0	61	2	11	2	..	..	..	..	1	..
French Creek	147	766 5 8	14 0 0	....	292 6 4	27 9 5	123	2	38	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
Shickalamy	148	506 9 0	....	40 0 0	446 6 9	29 2 5	120	2	45	6	..	..	..	..	1	..
Mocaponaca	149	175 4 1	....	....	165 8 5	13 7 5	65	7	16	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Red Cloud	150	127 0 9	....	....	53 0 0	12 7 0	43	2	25	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Mahanoy	151	1312 2 8	....	75 0 0	748 0 2	71 1 0	224	1	150	31	..	..	..	..	..	1
Chillisquaqua	152	355 3 1	....	....	262 1 5	13 8 5	39	1	32	2	..	..	..	7	..	..
Wawenoc	153	236 7 8	....	....	195 4 7	10 4 0	26	1	26	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lappawinzoe	154	273 2 0	....	....	257 8 5	12 5 5	32	2	31	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Shenandoah	155	823 6 7	....	....	536 4 7	69 0 5	177	1	170	34	..	..	..	7	..	..
Mahontonga	156	370 5 0	....	....	331 0 0	16 8 0	42	1	42	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Alletah	157	84 7 5	....	....	80 8 5	8 1 0	24	1	18	..	..	..	..	6	..	..
Aqushicola	158	252 8 0	....	....	246 3 0	6 5 0	26	..	26	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ockohocking	159	179 8 0	....	....	120 4 5	9 7 5	40	..	39	2	..	..	..	1	..	..
Neasham	160	286 2 0	....	....	261 6 9	3 5 0	21	..	14	..	..	..	..	7	..	..
Arrasapha	161	165 9 5	....	....	245 0 0	5 0 0	22	..	20	2	..	..	..	2	..	..
Champiola	162	230 0 0	....	....	....	5 7 5	23	..	23	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cussawago	163	145 0 0	....	....	110 0 0	6 7 5	29	2	27	..	..	..	..	2	..	..
Hodenausonee	164	158 1 0	....	....	....	4 7 5	19	..	19	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Leni Lenape D. C.	1	80 7 5	35 0 0	....	45 0 0	4 9 5	33	..	1	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Algonquin D. C.	2	164 5 0	96 0 0	....	24 5 5	3 0 0	20	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Pocahontas D. C.	3	183 9 8	90 0 0	50 0 0	22 4 0	7 0 5	47	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
St. Tammany D. C.	4	468 5 0	....	....	330 5 0	9 9 0	66	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Delaware D. C.	5	63 7 5	....	....	31 0 5	4 6 5	31	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

DIRECTORY OF THE IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN OF PENNSYLVANIA.

TRIBES.	NO.	SLEEP.	LOCATION.	PLACE OF MEETING.	CHIEF OF RECORDS.	POST OFFICE ADDRESS.
Tecumseh	1	Thursday	Norristown	Norristown	John H. Hartzell	Norristown.
Metamora	2	Wednesday.	Lancaster	Fulton Hall, Prince Street	John M. Kempf	Lancaster, No. 21 N. Mary St.
Leni Lenape	3	Friday	Philadelphia	Corner Second and Susquehanna Avenue	Isaac A. Davis	2057 Germantown Avenue.
Kuquenaku	4	Thursday	"	Wm. Penn Hose House, Frankford Road	Gotlieb Ubele	905 North Third Street
Pocahontas	5	Thursday	"	N. W. cor. Fourth and Walnut Sts	Fr. Aug. Buchman	610 Hallowell Street.
Wyoming	7	Wednesday.	"	" " "	Jacob L. Reiff	1803 South Fourth Street.
Shawnese	8	Friday	"	" " "	C. A. Winkworth	1237 Market Street.
Osceola	11	Wednesday.	Columbia	....	Peter A. Krodel	Columbia.
Susquehanna	12	Friday	Harrisburg	No. 304 North Second Street	T. P. Montgomery	7 S. Third St., Harrisburg.
Perkiomen	13	Thursday	Phœnixville	Corner of Main and Hall	E. K. Ramsey	Phoenixville.
Mohawk	14	Friday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	John H. Passau	1333 Prospect Street.
Pontiac	15	Wednesday.	Pittsburg	No. 67 Fifth Avenue	Oswald Heckmann	Box 546.
Chattahoochee	17	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	Assistance Hall, Sixth and Coates Sts	J. B. Flemming	1206 North Front Street.
Pequod	18	Thursday	"	Mechanics' Hall, 6th and Germantown Av.	Thomas J. Rice	2533 Lee Street.
Cherokee	19	Thursday	"	No. 1133 Parrish Street	Joseph P. Young	1527 N. Twenty-Second St.
Pawnee	20	Saturday	"	605 Arch Street	George Bertram	2130 Summer Street.
Montezuma	21	Friday	"	Corner of Twelfth and Montgomery Av	Wm. C. Stewart	1731 North Tenth Street.
Eeshahkonee	22	Monday	Lancaster	Fulton Hall, Prince Street	Peter C. Hensel	E. King St., Lancaster.
Black Hawk	26	Tuesday	Philadelphia	Norris and Sepviva Streets	Robert H. Kinkead	Rear 88 Laurel Street.
Mohegan	27	Monday	"	N. W. cor. Eighth and Spring Garden Sts	E. F. Stewart	1546 N. Thirteenth Street.
Conestoga	28	Tuesday	Williamsport	Morse's Hall	Geo. W. Klump	Williamsport.
Tuscarora	29	Monday	Chester	Penn Building, cor. Third and Market Sts	Wm. Kelly	Chester, Del. Co. Box 253.
Seminole	30	Tuesday	Germantown	Temperance Hall, Mill St	Francis Rodbard	118 Haines Street.
Cayugas	31	Friday	Gettysburg	McConaughy's Hall	Wm. B. Meals	Gettysburg.
Wissahickon	32	Tuesday	Philadelphia	No. 1530 Ridge Avenue	Samuel L. Stem	1521 Garnet Street.
Wingohocking	33	Friday	Frankford	Odd Fellows' Hall	George Burns	4139 Paul Street.
Moscosco	34	Friday	Philadelphia	Corner Thirty-Seventh and Market Sts	Henry Fite	3710 Warren Street.
Winnebago	35	Tuesday	Altoona	Shannon's Hall	Daniel G. Weidel	Altoona, Box 189.
Conewago	37	Wednesday.	York	Washington Hall	John Hays	Box 213, York.
Sagoyewatha	38	Monday	Philadelphia	Girard Avenue and Charlotta Street	George M. Brooke	1207 Savery Street.
Chiquesalungo	39	Tuesday	Columbia	Odd Fellows' Hall	B. F. Mullen	Columbia, Box 81.
Oniska	40	Monday	East Berlin	....	C. Will. Baker	East Berlin, Adams County.
Seneca	41	Thursday	Pottsville	Town Hall	Joseph C. Holt	Pottsville, Box 437.
Iroquois	42	Monday	Patterson	....	Ben F. Kepner	Mifflintown, Juniata Co.
Narraganset	43	Friday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	R. S. Monroe	237 Girard Avenue.
Red Jacket	44	Friday	Lancaster	Fulton Hall, Prince Street	Philip Keller	521 Manor Street.
Miantonomo	45	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	Thirteenth and Girard Avenue	Geo. W. Kreamer	510 North Eleventh Street.
Uppowoc	47	Tuesday	West Chester	S. W. cor Gay and High Sts	Norris T. Smith	Box 350, West Chester.
Powhatan	48	Thursday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	John C. Moore	952 Lawrence Street.
Coaquanock	49	Friday	"	Broadway Hall, Broad and Spring Garden.	Wm. H. Pool	1421 Barclay Street.
Miquon	50	Wednesday.	"	Odd Fellows' Hall, Ridge Avenue & 23d St.	Wm. G. Hollis	1718 Woodstock Street.

Chippewa	51	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	Corner Tenth and South Streets	J. T. Akin	1015 Clement Street.
Camanehee	52	Monday	"	G. I. Eng. House, Allen ab. Frankford R'd.	Andrew J. Miles	1253 Palmer Street.
Washita	53	Saturday	Conshohocken.	Stemple's Hall	John P. Armitage	Conshohocken, Box 47.
Wyandotte	54	Friday	Oxford	Central Avenue and Locust Street	James Black	Oxford, Chester County.
Wyalusing	56	Friday	Philadelphia	Odd Fellows' Hall, Falls of Schuylkill	Thomas Leask	Falls of Schuylkill.
Allegheny	57	Monday	Allegheny City.	N. E. cor. East and First Sts	Christian Haag	41 Perry Street.
Allequippa	58	Friday	Pittsburg	No. 67 Fifth Avenue	W. S. McDowell	Rear 109 Fourth Avenue.
Otsego	59	Friday	Mount Joy	....	H. A. Brady	Mount Joy.
Kiekenapawling	60	Saturday	Johnstown	Clinton and R. R.	C. W. Dopp	Johnstown, Box 23.
Cornplanter	61	Monday	Harrisburg	No. 304 North Second St	Conrad Miller	River Alley near Pine St.
Beaver	62	Tuesday	Norristown	Thomas Hall, Main Street	Wm. Bate, Jr	Norristown.
Wawatam	63	Thursday	Roxborough	Odd Fellows' Hall	Charles F. Hardick	Roxborough.
Ottowa	64	Saturday	Birmingham	Druid's Hall, corner Carson and McKee	Wm. Wilhelm	Buehanan P. O., Box 295.
Kishaeaquillas	65	Saturday	Conestoga C'r.	....	Benj. F. Hookey	Conestoga C'r, Lanc. Co.
Kiskiminitas	66	Thursday	Johnstown	Clinton and R. R.	Edward Peters	Johnstown, Box 484.
Ongpatonga	67	Friday	Lewistown	Dorcas and Water Streets	A. W. Potter	Lewistown.
Arrapahoe	68	Thursday	Huntingdon	Red Men's Hall	A. B. Flood	Huntingdon.
Shohomokin	69	Thursday	Sunbury	....	Peter F. Hower	Sunbury.
Penobscot	70	Thursday	Philadelphia	Meehanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts.	Wm. W. Shepherd	925 Poplar Street.
Mattawana	71	Tuesday	McVeytown	....	Isaac Bolinger	McVeytown.
Tonnaluka	72	Wednesday.	Irwin Station	....	J. K. Howell	Irwin Station, W. Co.
Idaho	73	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	Southwark Library Hall, 2d and German	Thomas Shannon	1721 South Fifth Street.
Juniata	74	Thursday	Reading	322½ Penn Street	W. M. Saylor	517 Penn St., Reading.
Winona	75	Thursday	Pottstown	Market Hall	H. R. Bossert	Pottstown, Box 202.
Nevada	76	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	A. P. A. Hall, Frankford Road and Master.	John F. Little	45 North Second Street.
Mahoning	77	Thursday	Danville	Montgomery's Building, Mill St	John C. Millhouse	Danville.
Codorus	78	Tuesday	York	Hartman's Building, Centre Square	Lorenz Marr	York, Box 265.
Minnewa	79	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	725 Raee Street	Harry Lang	821 Wood Street.
Swatara	80	Monday	N. Hamilton	....	James M. Graham	Newton Hamilton, M. C.
Tonnawanda	81	Wednesday.	Media	Corner of State and Orange Streets	Jorell L. Kelley	Media, Box 113.
Miami	82	Tuesday	Cressona	....	Wm. H. Cloak	Cressona.
Onondaga	83	Monday	Coatesville	Masonie Hall	L. H. Humphrey	Coatesville, Chester Co.
Saranae	84	Wednesday.	Easton	S. W. eor. Centre Square	James D Smith	Phillipsburg, N. J.
Tamany	85	Wednesday.	Altoona	Shannon's Hall	George Bleiler	Altoona, Box 453.
Lenni	86	Thursday	Lima	....	John A. Litzenberg.	Lima, Delaware Co.
Sioux	87	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	Sixth and Christian Streets	Francis B. Black	203 Christian Street.
Kittatinny	88	Wednesday.	Marysville	....	Wm. W. Jackson	Marysville.
Waunepewink	89	Monday	Shrewsbury	....	Thomas T. Benton	Shrewsbury, Box 5.
Kickapoo	90	Wednesday.	Gordon	....	David D. Phillips	Gordon.
Octoraro	91	Tuesday	Harrisburg	Corner of Second and State Streets	John R. Cockly	1010 Ridge Road, Harrisburg.
Wopwollopen	92	Wednesday.	Berwick	Odd Fellows' Hall	M. Thornton	Berwick.
Conewingo	93	Friday	York	Washington Hall	Wm. O. Goodling	York, 118 South Queen St.
Honayawus	94	Tuesday	Bloomsburg	....	Henry Shipton	Bloomsburg.
Otzinachson	95	Monday	Lock Haven	....	Samuel Tresher	Lock Haven.
Juskakaka	96	Thursday	Duneannon	Odd Fellows' Hall	Philip F. Miehener	Duneannon.

TRIBES.	NO.	SLEEP.	LOCATION.	PLACE OF MEETING.	CHIEF OF RECORDS.	POST OFFICE ADDRESS.
Malaeska	97	Wednesday.	Clarion	....	T. B. Richard	Clarion.
Alpharetta	98	Thursday	Millerstown	....	W. A. Meminger	Millerstown.
Standing Stone	99	Saturday	Mapleton	....	Albert M. Parker	Mapleton.
Yo Semite	100	Monday	Glen Rock	....	Wm. Boeckel	Glen Rock.
Uneas	101	Monday	Waynesboro	....	J. L. Weagly	Waynesboro'.
Bald Eagle	102	Thursday	Tyrone	....	John A. Boyer	Tyrone, Box 316.
Youghiogheny	103	Wednesday.	Birmingham	Druid's Hall	B. N. McCoy, Jr.	Buchanan P. O., Lock Box 12.
Absaraka	104	Tuesday	Philadelphia	Corner Thirty-Seventh and Market Sts	John E. Buckley	4201 Eadline Street.
Navajo	105	Tuesday	Scranton	105 Lackawanna Avenue	Geo. M. Silsbee	Scranton, Lock Box 451.
Chingachqook	106	Monday	Mauch Chunk	Odd Fellows' Hall.	Robert S. Calvin	Mauch Chunk.
Saukie	107	Friday	Ashland	Corner Third and Centre Streets	John D. Bowen	Ashland.
Conodogwinit	108	Thursday	Carlisle	Volunteer Building, S. E. cor. Square	Thomas H. Ramsey.	Carlisle.
Red Warrior	109	Tuesday	Philipsburg	....	W. S. Sturrett	Philipsburg, Box 162.
Lackawanna	110	Thursday	Plymouth	Odd Fellows' Hall	E. D. Barthe	Plymouth.
Minnehaha	111	Tuesday	Brookville	....	L. S. Garrison	Brookville.
Nemocalling	112	Wednesday.	Brownsville	Market Street	James M. Hucheson.	West Brownsville.
Osage	113	Thursday	Philadelphia	Kater Hall, Fifteenth and South Sts	Alex. R. Stewart	713 South Sixteenth St.
Chickasaw	114	Thursday	Charlestown	....	Samuel W. Mood	Pickering P. O.
Itah	115	Friday	Allegheny City.	161 Federal Street	S. M. Gies	19 Watson St., Pittsburg.
Quoekelinik	116	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	313 North Twentieth Street	Wm. M. James	2131 Evergreen Street.
Teedyuscung	117	Thursday	Mount Bethel	....	J. F. Raub	Mount Bethel.
Manaiung	118	Friday	Manayunk,	A. M. Hall	Samuel Grow	309 Green Lane.
Wahoo	119	Tuesday	Kingston	....	J. M. Burdick	Kingston.
Kiowas	120	Monday	Hazelton	Hazle Hall	A. T. Wenner	Hazleton, Box 128.
Catawissa	121	Monday	Catawissa	Corner of Second and Main Streets	Joseph Walter	Catawissa.
Opekasset.	122	Saturday	Reading	Penn Street, between Seventh and Eighth.	Francis Habich	744 N. Eighth St., Reading.
Wampanoag	123	Friday	Audenried	....	S. D. Watkins	Audenried.
Mingo	124	Tuesday	Beavertown	....	Alfred Speeht	Beavertown.
Manitobah	125	Wednesday.	Nazareth	....	J. J. Maus	Nazareth.
Cohocksink	126	Thursday	Philadelphia	Fifth and Thompson Streets	And. Weingartner	1131 Galloway Street.
Mohican	127	Monday	Bristol	Corner of Mill and Pond Streets	Thos. B. Douglass	Bristol.
Maconaquah	128	Monday	Wilkesbarre	127 Market Street	J. E. Valentine	Wilkesbarre, Lock Box 89.
Catoctin	129	Monday	Littlestown	Brant's Hall	Hanson O. Harmer	Littlestown.
Minnequa	130	Thursday	Williamsport	Corner Arch and State Streets	C. L. Adams	Newberry P. O. Lycoming Co
Sawquehanna	131	Thursday	Shippensburg	....	J. B. Reddig	Shippensburg.
Nescopee	132	Wednesday.	Laurel Run	....	Alex. C. Johnson	Wilkesbarre.
Wissinoming	133	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	Pennsylvania Avenue and Coates St	Geo. S. Craighead	N. E. cor. 23d and Collowhill.
Yemassee	134	Monday	Ashland	N. W. cor. Third and Centre Streets	.....	Ashland.
Weccaeoe	135	Friday	Philadelphia	Pine Street above Second	Her. E. Bitterlich	1323 Christian Street.
Quittapahilla	136	Thursday	Lebanon	Odd Fellows' Hall	Wm. G. Ward	Lebanon, Box 315.
Venango	137	Friday	Oil City	Odd Fellows' Hall	J. L. Dorsworth	Oil City.

Shakahappo	138	Wednesday.	Frankford	Odd Fellows' Hall	Milton Frederick	4445 Main Street.
Passyunk	139	Friday	Philadelphia	Southwark Library Hall, 2d and German.	Latimer B. Bisbee	Rear 618 Marriott Street.
Nay Aug	140	Thursday	Scranton	105 Lackawanna Avenue	Matt. Schneider	Scranton, Box 518.
Panooka	141	Wednesday.	Scranton	Co-operative Building, Hyde Park	Thomas Thomas	Hyde Park, Box 322.
Accomac	142	Saturday	Belle Vernon	....	Wm. Henry Jones	Belle Vernon.
Monongahela	143	Thursday	Dravosburg	....	E. Hagen	Dravosburg.
Massasoit	144	Friday	Philadelphia	605 Arch Street	Horatio N. Walker	142½ South Fourth Street.
Poutaxet	145	Wednesday.	"	Friendship Hall, Norris and Sepviva Sts.	Harry Buscher	726 E. Norris Street.
P'Sskemuquohiki	146	Friday	East Brady	....	George Wadge	Catfish.
French Creek	147	Wednesday.	Franklin	....	G. B. Fry	Franklin.
Shickalamy	148	Friday	Shamokin	Odd Fellows' Hall	Isaac Smink	Shamokin.
Mocaponaca	149	Wednesday.	Chester	Corner Second and Kerlin Streets	B. F. Bucha	Chester, Box 47.
Red Cloud	150	Wednesday.	Roxbury	....	S. Sentman	Roxbury.
Mahanoy	151	Monday	Mahanoy City	Corner Centre and Main Streets	John J. Mathias	Mahanoy City, Box 84.
Chillisquaqua	152	Monday	Northumberl'd	....	Robert Lesher, Jr.	Northumberland.
Wawenoc	153	Tuesday	Watsontown	....	Ambrose S. Lamm	Watsontown.
Lappawinzoe	154	Friday	Bethlehem	....	J. B. Kemerer	Bethlehem.
Shenandoah	155	Wednesday.	Shenandoah	....	C. C. Wagner	Box 206, Shenandoah.
Mahantongo	156	Monday	Mount Carmel.	....	Mesach Watkins	Mount Carmel.
Alletah	157	Friday	Philadelphia	3512 Haverford Street	Thomas T. Haines	Wyalusing Av. ab. 54th St.
Aquashicola	158	Wednesday.	Slatington	Mack's Hall	J. M. Roberts	Slatington.
Ockohocking	159	Monday	Newtown Sqr.	....	James J. Sproul	Newtown Square.
Neasham	160	Wednesday.	Southamptonv.	....	Franklin S. Terry	Davisville.
Arrasapha	161	Thursday	Garrettford	....	James Lomas	Garrettford, Upper Darby.
Champiola	162	Wednesday.	Blairsville	....	Stephen L. Morford.	Blairsville.
Cussawago	163	Friday	Titusville	Fletcher's Block, Franklin Street	E. A. Keene	Box 970, Titusville.
Hodenausonee	164	Wednesday.	Dawson	....	John R. Dunham	Dawson.
Wannetta	165	Tuesday	Emlenton	....	I. J. Fulman	
Lecha	166	Monday	E. M. Chunk	....	J. M. Driesbach	East Mauch Chunk.
Leni Lenape D.C.	1	2d & 4th Tu.	Philadelphia	S. W. cor. Tenth and Filbert Sts	Wm. Alchin	1028 Ogden Street.
Algonquin D. C.	2	2d & 4th Th.	York	Washington Hall	John Hays	York.
Pocahontas D. C.	3	2d Thursday	Philadelphia	N. W. cor. Fourth and Walnut Sts	John H. Passau	1333 Prospect Street.
St. Tammany D.C.	4	2d & 4th Th.	Lancaster	Fulton Hall	H. W. Villee	244 South Queen Street.
Delaware, D. C.	5	1st & 2d Sat.	Easton	S. W. corner Centre Square	James D. Smith	Phillipsburg, N. J.

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IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

GREAT COUNCIL OF PENNSYLVANIA.

LANCASTER, *7th Sun, Flower Moon, G. S. D.* 381.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled in accordance with their By-Laws, and kindled the Council fire in ample form, at the 10th run rising of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

JAMES A. MOSS—Great Sachem.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOSEPH W. CLYMER—Great Junior Sagamore.
WM. B. ECKERT—Great Prophet, *pro tem.*
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
JAMES B. ZIEGLER—Great Sannap.
H. J. STONER—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

Travelling card of P. S. George W. Whitlock, of the Great Council of California, was presented, and referred to P. G. S.'s Conley, Gorham, and Wiestenberg, who retired, and, after due examination, introduced the brother, who took his seat as a visitor.

Certificates of Past Sachems read and referred.

Certificates that the following had been appointed Prophet at the institution of, and had served to the end of the term in their respective Tribes, were read:—

Samuel J. Wallace,	No. 21	John N. Evans,	No. 156
Michael McSherry,	" 40	Edward Golding,	" 158
Evans J. Griffith,	" 151	Wm. B. Payne,	" 159
W. W. Littlehales,	" 155	Charles Cheney,	" 164

Certificates of the following Representatives read:—

Curtis Roberts,	No. 1	Wm. B. Eckert,	No. 49
Thomas W. Brown,	" 2	H. F. Bissout,	" 50
Christian Yeakle,	" 3	Henry Larke,	" 51
Marcus Reese,	" 4	Thomas T. Moore,	" 52
Ferdinand Friend,	" 5	Wm. H. Dean,	" 53
John R. Cantlin,	" 7	James Black,	" 54
Ira W. Campernel,	" 8	Joseph Oldham,	" 56
Wm. Paxson,	" 11	Christian Haag,	" 57
R. R. Barr,	" 12	John M. Scott,	" 58
John Wm. Batt,	" 13	Frank G. Pennell,	" 59
Henry Mayfarth,	" 14	John V. Shaeffer,	" 60
Morris H. Gorham,	" 17	John A. Frederick,	" 61
Henry S. Coyle,	" 18	Wm. C. Jones,	" 62
Israel J. Fisher,	" 19	F. J. Cornman,	" 63
Samuel N. Foster,	" 20	Adam Kustus,	" 64
Samuel J. Wallace,	" 21	Benjamin F. Watson,	" 65
H. B. McNeil,	" 22	Wm. R. Jones,	" 66
John H. Catron,	" 26	John Hamilton,	" 67
Frederick Hubbs,	" 27	L. B. Kline,	" 68
Francis Rodbard,	" 30	A. J. Funk,	" 70
J. W. Cress,	" 31	W. H. McClellan,	" 71
Joseph M. Kirby,	" 32	Joseph L. McQuistan,	" 72
E. V. O'Neil,	" 33	Charles M. Leisenring,	" 73
A. Jackson Morgan,	" 34	George W. Hassinger,	" 74
Wm. Stimer,	" 35	H. R. Bossert,	" 75
Christian Markley,	" 37	Justis C. Wright,	" 76
John W. Walters,	" 38	Augustus Arms;	" 77
James McGinnis,	" 39	Philip Baustlicker,	" 78
J. Curtis Hildebrand,	" 40	David Renshaw,	" 79
David Williams,	" 41	Edwin E. Bowden,	" 81
B. F. Kepner,	" 42	John W. Smith,	" 82
Robert Sims,	" 43	H. E. Williams,	" 83
Henry Wolf,	" 44	James Dewey,	" 84
Edward S. Deemer,	" 45	George Bleiler,	" 85
Henry C. Baldwin,	" 47	James M. Smith,	" 86
John C. Moore,	" 48	Ezra H. Hazzard,	" 87

E. H. Gerry,	No. 89	Alfred D. Rebok,	No. 131
Thomas Rasbridge,	" 90	Samuel Johnson,	" 132
Wm. Lutz,	" 91	Charles H. Moss,	" 133
John H. Spahr,	" 93	John Berens,	" 135
George B. Tregloan,	" 94	Selim S. Thomas,	" 136
John A. Shearer,	" 96	Samuel Wilson,	" 138
Charles Kaufman,	" 97	John Barnholdt,	" 139
Henry Himes,	" 99	Charles Ehrhard,	" 140
Eli R. Miller,	" 100	John H. Reitz,	" 142
George F. Lidy,	" 101	John H. Wiley,	" 144
John A. Boyer,	" 102	Harry Buseher,	" 145
Charles S. McCoy,	" 103	J. M. Rankin,	" 146
Wm. H. Bantom,	" 104	H. A. Planee,	" 147
Lewis P. Post,	" 105	A. F. Elms,	" 148
Andrew Elliott,	" 106	John G. Leidig,	" 150
David W. Priee,	" 107	H. J. Bashore,	" 151
Lewis Zitzer,	" 108	David M. Evans,	" 152
Wm. R Hemphill,	" 109	Oscar Foust,	" 153
Edwin Meredith,	" 110	Morgan L Bahn,	" 154
J. T. Carroll,	" 111	W. W. Littlehales,	" 155
James B. Vandyke,	" 112	Edward Golding,	" 158
Samuel J. Glenn,	" 113	Charles S. Heyshem,	" 159
Frank Wobensmith,	" 116	Christopher F. Fetters,	" 160
Wm. Ramsey,	" 118	Henry Taylor,	" 161
Merritt A. Brown,	" 121	W. H. R. Kelty,	" 163
David Henry,	" 122	Charles Cheney,	" 164
Richard Hopkins,	" 123	Newton H. Bieber,	" 166
Alfred Speeht,	" 124	Wm. G. Hollis, D. C.	" 1
Trubert Ortleib,	" 126	John Hays, "	" 2
Wm. M. Holt,	" 127	John Benkert, "	" 3
A. C. Montanye,	" 128	Davis Kitch, Jr. "	" 4
C. L. Adams,	" 130		

On motion, the Representatives were duly acknowledged.

G. C. of R. proceeded to read the record of last session; when, on motion of Rep. Eckert, the further reading was dispensed with, and the record adopted as printed.

The judge and tellers asked for instructions relative to counting the duplicate return of votes of Tribes.

On motion, the judge and tellers were directed to count all duplicates which are correct.

P. S. Edwin E. Bowden was reported in waiting; but without credentials as Past Sachem.

On motion, the consideration of the matter was postponed.

The following Past Sachems were admitted to membership in the Great Council:—

Henry Brinkman,	No. 2	J. W. Smith,	No. 82
John M. McCully,	" 2	James Dewey,	" 84
W. A. Schoenberger,	" 2	John H. Spahr,	" 93
John McGinnis,	" 2	George F. Lidy,	" 101
R. R. Barr,	" 12	W. H. H. Brainard,	" 102
H. B. McNeil,	" 22	J. N. Robinson,	" 102
John Levergood,	" 22	Lewis P. Post,	" 105
L. DeW. Brenneman,	" 22	David W. Price,	" 107
D. P. Rosenmiller,	" 22	W. R. Hemphill,	" 109
C. A. Oblander,	" 22	James B. Vandyke,	" 112
John F. Deichler,	" 22	Merritt A. Brown,	" 121
James Williams,	" 22	David Henry,	" 122
J. W. Cress,	" 31	Wm. M. Holt,	" 127
H. G. Wolf,	" 31	A. C. Montanye,	" 128
Wm. Warner,	" 37	C. L. Adams,	" 130
J. Curtis Hildebrand,	" 40	Alfred D. Rebok,	" 131
Michael McSherry,	" 40	Samuel Johnson,	" 132
Robert White,	" 43	Charles Ehrhard,	" 140
John Goetz,	" 44	John H. Wiley,	" 144
Conrad Martz,	" 44	J. M. Rankin,	" 146
Henry C. Keller,	" 44	H. A. Planee,	" 147
Jacob Lutz,	" 44	A. F. Elms,	" 148
John Reith,	" 44	J. G. Leidig,	" 150
Frederick Wolf,	" 44	Oscar Foust,	" 153
Isaac Bedichiemer,	" 45	W. W. Littlehales,	" 155
B. F. Watson.	" 65	Edward Golding,	" 158
L. B. Kline,	" 68	Charles S. Heysham,	" 159
W. H. McClellan,	" 71	Wm. B. Payne,	" 159
Joseph L. McQuistan,	" 72	Charles Cheney,	" 164
Wm. H. Bitting,	" 74	Wm. G. Rapp, D. C.	" 4
Augustus Arms,	" 77		

P. S. Miller, No. 22, offered the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the sessions of this Great Council commence at the *ninth* run rising of the sun and the *second* run setting of the sun, and close respectively at the *twelfth* run high sun and the *sixth* run setting of the sun, and that there be no sleep sessions.

A certificate from Winnebago Tribe, No. 35, of the *appointment* of Wm. K. Leonard as Representative "for one session of the Great Council," was read.

Great Sachem decided that the Tribe having duly elected a Representative, they could not supersede him by the appointment temporarily of another.

Rep. Heyshem moved to extend the time for quenching the Council fire, which was agreed to.

The consideration of the admission of P. S. Bowden, without credentials, was resumed; when the Great Sachem decided that a Past Sachem could not be admitted to membership in the Great Council without credentials.

Roll of Representatives called, and the following present:—

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 11, 12, 14, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 26, 27, 30, 31, 32, 33, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 43, 44, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 57, 58, 59, 63, 64, 65, 68, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 76, 77, 79, 82, 84, 87, 89, 91, 93, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 109, 111, 112, 113, 116, 118, 121, 122, 127, 128, 130, 131, 132, 133, 136, 139, 140, 142, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 150, 151, 153, 154, 155, 158, 159, 163, 164, 166, D. C. 1, 4.

Council fire quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

LANCASTER, *7th Sun, Flower Moon, G. S. D.* 381.

Great Council assembled and kindled the Council fire at the 2d run setting of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

JAMES A. MOSS—Great Sachem.
JOHN REBMAN—Great Senior Sagamore.
JOSEPH W. CLYMER—Great Junior Sagamore.
MORRIS H. GORHAM—Great Prophet, *pro tem.*
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
JAMES B. ZIEGLER—Great Sannap.
H. J. STONER—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 11, 12, 14, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 26, 27, 30, 31, 32, 34, 37, 38, 40, 41, 43, 44, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54, 57, 58, 59, 63, 64, 65, 68, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 76, 77, 79, 82, 84, 87, 89, 90, 91, 93, 101, 102, 103, 104, 106, 107, 109, 111, 112, 113, 116, 118, 121, 127, 128, 130, 131, 132, 133, 136, 139, 140, 142, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 150, 151, 153, 154, 158, 159, 163, 164, 166, D. C. 1, 4.

Great Sachem presented the following:—

GREAT SACHEM'S REPORT.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

Chiefs and Brothers: By the merciful kindness of the Great Spirit, whose watchful eye is ever over all our actions, we are again permitted to meet together, to kindle our annual council fire. In Buck Moon last I assumed the authority of Great Sachem of this Great Council, which was so unanimously bestowed upon me, I accepted the highly responsible position, cautious of its duties and responsibilities, and I can assure you I was proud of the honor thus bestowed. I have endeavored to discharge the various duties which devolved upon me, so as to meet and merit the approval of all my brother Red Men. Whatever decisions made by me during my term, have been made conscientiously, and as I believed for the best interest of our Order. If any feel grieved by any of my actions, I refer them to those cardinal virtues—"To err is human; to forgive is divine."

Let us be thankful for the many blessings bestowed upon our Order for the past ten moons, and so conduct ourselves that its future may be one of unprecedented success. May all our energies and acts during the present session tend to give it still greater vitality, so that before many great suns more pass over us, we may have the proud satisfaction of being second to no Order in this Commonwealth. During my term I have visited as many Tribes in the jurisdiction as it has been in my power to do, and I find all in a healthy and prosperous condition. Our Order is increasing so rapidly now, having over one hundred and sixty Tribes in working order, that it makes it impossible for the Great Sachem to visit each Tribe.

I would return my thanks to the several Deputy Great Sachems for the interest and energy displayed by them in endeavoring to advance our Order; also to the different Great Chiefs, and more particularly to G. C. of R. Andrew J. Baker, and to G. G. of F. Thomas K. Donnalley; and also P. G. S. E. F. Stewart and P. S. George W. Kreamer for their kind assistance in matters of law and usage.

I would also return my thanks to the Great Chiefs, and the following Past Sachems, who so kindly assisted me in raising up the chiefs of the various Tribes: P. S.'s John C. Moore, Charles M. Leisenring, William G. Hollis, John Dankelman, P. Geiger, S. B. Taylor, F. Wobensmith, E. Jacoby, G. W. Allen, W. H. Hartley, J. B. Weber, J. T. Baer, J. T. Akin, H. Fite, J. P. Young, J. Beamish, G. W. Simpson, W. C. Probasco, G. K. Swain, S. B. Green, F. Tschan, S. Wright, George Carnell, J. D. Miller, I. W. Bisbing, C. H. Moss, and M. W. Holt; also P. G. S.'s Charles C. Conley, Morris H. Gorham, E. F. Stewart, Angus Cameron, and C. Wiestenberg.

INSTITUTION OF TRIBES.

At the session of the Great Council in Cold Moon last, charters were granted for two Tribe, which were duly instituted as follows:—

WANNETTA TRIBE, No. 165, Emlenton, Venango County, on the 6th of Snow Moon, by D. G. S.'s Planee and Kelty, assisted by a number of members of No. 147. Chiefs raised up: J. R. Frazier, Prophet; R. A. Marshall, Sachem; J. M. Ogden, S. S.; G. W. Marshall, J. S.; I. J. Fulman, C. of R.; Leslie Sloan, K. of W.

LECHA TRIBE, No. 166, East Mauch Chunk, on the 5th of Snow Moon, by G. J. S. Clymer, G. C. of R. Baker, G. G. of F. Donnalley, P. G. S. Knipe, and myself. Chiefs raised up: P. S. Newton H. Bieber, Prophet; George Twining, Sachem; D. K. Morrow, S. S.; Samuel S. Smith, J. S.; J. M. Driesbach, C. of R.; John H. Bieghe, K. of W.

Petitions in proper form has been received, and after due consideration by the Great Chiefs, dispensations have been issued for the following Tribes:—

GANEODIYO TRIBE, No. 167, Erie; petition signed by one brother and fifty-seven pale faces; received 22d of Cold Moon; instituted 14th of Snow Moon; by G. C. of R. Baker, G. G. of F. Donnalley, D. G. S.'s Planee and Kelty, and myself. Chiefs raised up: Alfred B. Campany, Prophet; H. B. Waltman, Sachem; Adam Kurtis, S. S.; R. B. Hubbard, J. S.; Wm. M. Cole, C. of R.; Andrew Hunter, K. of W.

TINICUM TRIBE, No. 168, Uhlertown, Bucks County; petition signed by one brother and nineteen pale faces; received 24th of Snow Moon; instituted 12th of Worm Moon, by G. C. of R. Baker, G. G. of F. Donnalley, and myself, assisted by a number of members of Manhattan Tribe, No. 29, of New Jersey. Chiefs raised up: Michael Uhler, Prophet; Tobias Fishler, Sachem; T. G. Miller, S. S.; Effinger F. Hillegas, J. S.; Wm. S. Major, C. of R.; Abram Worman, K. of W.

WASHTELLA TRIBE, No. 169, Middletown, Adams County; petition signed by six brothers and eighteen pale faces; received 28th of Snow Moon; instituted 16th of Worm Moon, by D. G. S. Holtzworth, assisted by members of Cayugas Tribe, No. 31. Chiefs raised up: D. L. Knouse, Prophet; John L. Baehr, Sachem; John F. Hartman, S. S.; Martin H. Thomas, J. S.; B. W. Riley, C. of R.; Ephraim Sheely, K. of W.

RED WING TRIBE, No. 170, Middletown, Dauphin County; petition signed by twenty-eight pale faces; received 28th of Snow Moon; instituted 11th of Plant Moon, by G. C. of R. Baker, G. G. of F. Donnalley, D. G. S. Shultz, and myself, assisted by a number of members of Nos. 12, 61, and 91. Chiefs raised up: Daniel L. Stoud, Prophet; F. A. Ziegler, Sachem; P. C. Elberti, S. S.; Jacob Andrews, J. S.; George H. McNeal, C. of R.; John H. Crown, K. of W.

POHO POCO TRIBE, No. 171, Weissport, Carbon County; petition signed by six brothers and fifty-one pale faces; received 8th of Worm Moon; instituted 20th, by G. C. of R. Baker, G. G. of F. Donnalley, P. G. S. Knipe,

P. S. Brown of No. 41, and myself, assisted by brothers of Nos. 106 and 158. Chiefs raised up: W. M. Du Four, Prophet; J. G. Zern, Sachem; M. M. Fenner, S. S.; Jacob Brong, J. S.; D. F. Rickert, C. of R.; John Hauk, K. of W.

Wawaset Tribe, No. 172, Linwood, Delaware County; petition signed by six brothers and twenty-two pale faces; received 11th of Worm Moon; instituted 21st, by G. J. S. Clymer, G. C. of R. Baker, G. G. of F. Donnalley, P. G. S. Conley, and myself, assisted by a large number of brothers. Chiefs raised up: Frank S. Vernon, Prophet; Wm. H. Gilbert, Sachem; George McClintock, S. S.; George W. Vernon, J. S.; David C. Syfrit, C. of R.; Jacob Ebright, K. of W.

Tuckalula Tribe, No. 173, Rouseville, Venango County; petition signed by one brother and twenty-three pale faces; received 30th of Worm Moon; instituted 5th of Plant Moon, by D. G. S.'s Plance and Kelty, assisted by a number of brothers of Nos. 147 and 163. Chiefs raised up: J. C. Palmer, Prophet; W. E. McClintock, Sachem; A. G. Courtney, S. S.; Charles W. Atkins, J. S.; John A. Austin, C. of R.; Wm. C. Tyler, K. of W.

Sankanac Tribe, No. 174, Uwchlan, Chester County; petition signed by twenty-one pale faces; received 1st of Plant Moon; instituted 16th, by G. C. of R. Baker, G. G. of F. Donnalley, and myself, assisted by a number of brothers of No. 114. Chiefs raised up: Dr. N. S. Marshall, Prophet; Daniel Henrich, Sachem; John H. Thomas, S. S.; Newlin Dolbey, J. S.; M. Shaner Chrisman, C. of R.; Thomas B. Dewees, K. of W.

DISPENSATIONS.

I have granted dispensations to the following Tribes to confer degrees:—

Moscosco Tribe, No. 34, Warrior's and Chief's degrees on Charles Dorman.

Aquashicola Tribe, No. 158, Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees on John Hawk, David Brown, and John Rehrig.

Passyunk Tribe, No. 139, Warrior's and Chief's degrees on George C. Mager.

Massasoit Tribe, No. 144, Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees on Joseph F. Borgenski, also Warrior's and Chief's degrees on Samuel Fabian and Charles L. Hayden, and Chief's degree on Samuel Wheeler, and Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees on George W. Wismer.

Ockohocking Tribe, No. 159, Warrior's and Chief's degrees on Robert Paiste, Wm. Bail, Richard Gibson, Johathan P. Yerkes, Wm. Marsh.

Coaquanock Tribe, No. 49, Chief's degree on John H. Yohey and Francis Edginton.

Chingachqook Tribe, No. 106, Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees on W. M. Du Four, J. G. Zern, M. Fenner, J. Brong, D. Rickert, and J. Hauck.

Camanchee Tribe, No. 52, Warrior's and Chief's degrees on James Gadsby, and Chief's degree on Wm. H. Hoffman.

Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, Warrior's and Chief's degrees on Harry N. Sissen, Wm. Fleming, and W. D. Eckfeldt.

Cherokee Tribe, No. 19, Warrior's and Chief's degrees on Theo. Steel.

Pawnee Tribe, No. 20, to adopt and confer Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees on Frank S. Vernon, Geo. W. Vernon, Geo. McClintock, Hamilton P. Maison, and David Syfrit.

Mohegan Tribe, No. 27, Warrior's and Chief's degrees on Joseph T. Hallowell.

Wissahickon Tribe, No. 32, Chief's degree on Jerome Benesole.

Ganeodiyo Tribe, No. 167, Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees on Alvin F. Miller and Paul Hoffman.

Kuquenaku Tribe, No. 4, Warrior's and Chief's degrees on John Marriner.

Miquon Tribe, No. 50, Chief's degree on S. D. H. Rose.

Seminole Tribe, No. 30, Chief's degree on Wm. Heppler.

Osage Tribe, No. 113, Chief's degree on Wm. South.

Opekasset Tribe, No. 122, Warrior's and Chief's degrees on S. Mc Romick.

Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, Chief's degree on John E. Shlafer.

Chippewa Tribe, No. 51, Chief's degree on John Donnell.

Pequod Tribe, No. 18, Warrior's and Chief's degrees on Robert H. Donnalley, and Chief's degree on John P. Haines.

Montezuma Tribe, No. 21, Warrior's and Chief's degrees on A. P. Fitzhugh.

Metamora Tribe, No. 2, Warrior's and Chief's degrees on G. W. Mc Ginnis and E. A. Warner; and elect and adopt John Price, A. Harnish, Ellese Gable, and Marcus B. Scherr, on the sleep of their application for membership.

Amount of wampum received, fifty-eight fathoms.

I have granted dispensations to the following Tribes to hold balls and festivals:—

Pequod	Tribe,	No.	18	Shickalamy	Tribe,	No.	148
Sioux	"	"	87	Sagoyewatha	"	"	38
Osage	"	"	113	Wissinoming	"	"	133
Miantonomo	"	"	45	Moseoseo	"	"	34
Wecacoe	"	"	135	Opekasset	"	"	122

Amount of wampum received, thirty fathoms.

I have also granted the following dispensations for the several purposes mentioned:—

Cherokee Tribe, No. 19, to wear regalia on a visit to Quœkelinik Tribe, No. 116.

On the 5th of Worm Moon I granted Navajo Tribe, No. 105, a dispensation to suspend benefits for three moons, from 5th sun of Worm Moon, on account of their wampum being reduced.

Venango Tribe, No. 137, to change place of kindling their council fire.

Ganeodiyo Tribe, No. 169, to change place of kindling their council fire.

Champiola Tribe, No. 162, to parade in regalia at dedication of wigwam on the 1st of Flower Moon.

Chattahoochee Tribe, No. 17, to change place of kindling their council fire to Third and Brown Streets, and to meet semi-monthly during alterations to Hall.

Minnehaha Tribe, No. 111, to dedicate new wigwam.

Pawnee Tribe, No. 20, to change their council sleep from Saturday to Tuesday.

Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, to change their wigwam from No. 725 Race St. to N. E. cor. Broad and Arch Streets, and council sleep from Wednesday to Tuesday.

DECISIONS.

1. On the 18th of Cold Moon, John A. Shearer, Deputy for Perry Co., wrote me that he had submitted to him the following question: "Can a pale face's proposition be withdrawn after it has been referred to a committee?" He decided it could not (see Section 8, Article XIII, Constitution of Tribes); but that the Tribe wished also my decision.

I answered him that he had decided correct.

2. On the 3d of Snow Moon, Montezuma Tribe, No. 21, submitted the following for my decision: "When is the proper time for Tribes to cease admitting brothers prior to adoption—is it when the Tribe is ordered to prepare for adoption, or is it when the adoption actually commences?"

I answered that they can admit up to the time they are ready for adoption; but during adoption cannot admit.

3. On the 15th Snow Moon, I received a communication from Mahanoy Tribe, No. 151, asking my decision on the following: "In regard to funeral benefits to be paid to a brother whose wife died very sudden. The brother at the death of his wife owed the Tribe one fathom two inches for seven suns dues, and one fathom for funeral dues, which was charged to him on the 3d of Cold Moon, G. S. D. 381, so that on the death of the brother's wife he owed the Tribe one fathom two inches for seven suns dues and one fathom for funeral dues, which make two fathoms two inches altogether. Article IV, Sec. 2, of our By-Laws, says: That a member in arrears for seven suns dues for a period exceeding three moons, shall not be entitled to the benefits. Under that head now the majority of the members say that the brother did not owe three moons weekly dues, and that the funeral dues does not throw him non-beneficial according to our By-Laws; and again, the Sachem and some other members say that the funeral dues does throw him unbeneficial, and the Sachem will not let an order be drawn until we hear from you."

I answered as follows: That the brother is entitled to his benefits—your By-Laws particularly mentioning that the arrearages must be for seven suns dues.

4. D. G. S. H. A. Plance, submitted to me the following question: "Can a pale face who has lost an arm be adopted by our Tribe?"

I answered, you cannot adopt him, that being the decision of the Great Council of the United States.

5. Massasoit Tribe, No. 144, submitted the following for my decision: "As to the correct proceedings relative to application and granting of degrees, whether when a brother desires to take degrees by dispensation he must apply to his Tribe, which then applies for a dispensation, and then the applicant is twigged for, and if declared entitled thereto, then the degrees are conferred; or whether he does not apply for said degrees, and then upon being twigged for, if declared entitled thereto, he applies for a dispensation to have said granted degrees conferred."

I answered the applicant must be twigged for first.

6. On the 28th of Worm Moon, Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, asked for my decision on the following question: "Is the signature of a Past Sachem to the return of an election held by the Past Sachems of the Tribe for chiefs of the Great Council and Representatives to Great Council of the United States legal, the said Past Sachem having occupied the stump of the Sachem during the council, the Sachem being absent, but the Senior Sagamore of the Tribe being present?"

I answered, the brother acting and holding the stump at the time of election is the proper one to sign the election return as Sachem *pro tem.*

7. My decision was asked on the following question, by P. S. A. F. Elms:

"First.—At the institution of our Tribe on the 15th of Worm Moon, G. S. D. 380, brother S. H . . . . was appointed Prophet of our Tribe. Our Sachem says brother S. H . . . . is a Past Sachem, and is eligible to represent this Tribe at the Great Council; but I hold he is not entitled to that office. He claims it according to the law past in Corn Moon last by the Great Council of the United States. We claim that by having a Past Sachem before that law was past, he is not entitled to the honor?

"Second.—When the S. and S. S. are on as evidence in case of a charge, as interested parties have they the right to appoint committees for the trial?

"Third.—When a brother is over three moons in arrears has he a right to vote on any question before the Tribe after he has had notice of the same?"

I answered to 1st question: He is not entitled to rank of Past Sachem.

To 2d question: Neither should act in appointing committees.

To 3d question: By-Laws should define the rights of members.

8. On the 16th of Worm Moon, D. G. S. A. B. Flood, submitted the following: "Our Tribe has had a pale face proposed, committee appointed, reported favorable, has been elected. One seven suns has expired since election, and some of the members have found him (pale face) to be of a drunken character. Since pale face has not been notified of his election?"

I answered them by referring to page 139, session of Cold Moon, G. S. D. 380.

9. On the 14th of Plant Moon, I received a communication from Montezuma Tribe, No. 21, asking my decision on the following: "Whether this Tribe has the right to adopt a pale face who has lost his right arm in the United States service?"

I answered them, that they could not adopt him.

10. Venango Tribe, No. 137, submitted for my decision the following question: "When a Tribe revises its By-Laws, and the Committee on Law and Usage has approved the same as revised, at what time do they go into effect?"

I answered them, that as soon as the By-Laws are approved by the Committee on Law and Usage they become the laws of the Tribe, and as such must be recognized by the chiefs and members of the Tribe.

11. P. G. S. Adam Schuh asked my decision in regard to election of Trustees, he being elected in Hunting Moon last for one great sun, and on the 29th of Worm Moon the Tribe elected other Trustees without any change in the By-Laws.

I answered him, that on account of the change in the laws of the Order by the Great Council of Pennsylvania, from Hunting Moon to Worm Moon, and Hot Moon to Corn Moon, it shortens the term of all the chiefs of the Tribe, and as you were elected Trustee for one great sun from Hunting Moon last, I should think your term ought to cease at last of Corn Moon next, thereby making your term nine moons instead of one great sun.

12. On the 30th of Plant Moon, Pequod Tribe, No. 18, asked for a dispensation to twig for a pale face twice rejected.

Answered, I cannot grant the dispensation. You must be governed by the Constitution of Tribes; as the pale face was rejected twice, his case must end for the period of six moons. (See Sections 6 and 9, Art. XIII, Constitution of Tribes.)

13. On the 27th of Plant Moon, P. S. A. F. Elms submitted to me the following questions:—

"First.—Has the retiring Sachem the right to, or can he resign the office of Prophet—our retiring P. S. Isaac E. Kirlin has tendered his resignation and the Tribe has accepted it?

"Second.—Has the C. of R. the right to take the books out of the wigwam and let a pale face post them?

"Third.—Does the Representative require an order from the Tribe to attend the Great Council, after being elected by the Tribe. Some of our members are afraid that I would have some influence in favor of brother Kemp, and there being a few members present they passed a motion ordering me not to attend the Great Council for the Tribe?"

I replied to 1st question: He cannot; such decision was made in the Great Council of the United States.

2d. In regard to posting the books, I do not see that it makes any difference whether a pale face does it or not, so that it is done correctly; but a pale face has no right to see the records.

3d. I think if the Representative is elected he can attend and represent the Tribe, and if the By-Laws define any amount to pay him he can claim it.

MISCELLANEOUS.

On the 20th of Worm Moon, Red Warrior Tribe, No. 109, asked permission to solicit donations from sister Tribes within this jurisdiction for the

benefit of their brother Robert Kinkaid, who had the misfortune to lose an arm, thereby disabling him from following the hunt—the brother being a laborer, it unfits him of providing for himself and family. The Tribe has paid him over one hundred fathoms, and they would like to start him in some small business that would procure him the necessaries of life.

I granted the Tribe the permission asked for.

In accordance with Art. XIII, Sec. 3, I appointed P. S. Geo. W. Kreamer of No. 45, as judge, P. S.'s Wm. H. Hartley of No. 8, and Geo. S. Craighead of No. 133, as tellers, and P. S. J. P. Young of No. 19, as clerk, to open and count the election returns for Great Chiefs, and Representative to the Great Council of the United States.

In my report in Cold Moon last, I reported as having a balance of wampum in my hands of eighty-eight fathoms five feet of the Chicago Fund. During the session I received from Seneca Tribe, No. 41, twenty-five fathoms—making a total of one hundred and thirteen fathoms five feet, which I have disposed of as follows: to brother J. W. Artley, of Tribe No. 28, fifty-seven fathoms, and to brother W. A. Baldwin, of Tribe No. 22, fifty-six fathoms five feet. All of which I trust will meet the approval of my brethren.

Having received information that W. R. Boyers had been admitted into Champiola Tribe, No. 162, under false representation, I sent the following communication to the Tribe:—

13th Sun, Plant Moon, G. S. D. 381.

Chiefs, &c., Champiola Tribe, No. 162.

Information, which we deem authentic, has been received by the Great Chiefs that W. R. Boyers, at the time of the institution of your Tribe and his admission therein, was a suspended member of Winnebago Tribe, No. 35, at Altoona; and inasmuch as his admission was a gross violation of law, and an imposition upon the Order and the Great Chiefs who performed the ceremony, as well as a plain, clear, and predetermined falsehood on his part:

Now, therefore, I, James A. Moss, Great Sachem of the Improved Order of Red Men, hereby order and direct Champiola Tribe, No. 162, to exclude from your councils and from membership the said W. R. Boyers, and that you withhold from him the new password, and the certificate of Past Sachem, to which he would be entitled; that you inform him of this order emanating from the Great Chiefs. That if the said W. R. Boyers denies this allegation, or disputes this command and demands an investigation of the charge, or an examination therein, that you will allow this to him, by having charges preferred against him, and the proofs will be furnished from the records of Winnebago Tribe, No. 35.

Given under our hands and the seal of the Great Council of Pennsylvania.

JAMES A. MOSS, *G. S.*
ANDREW J. BAKER, *G. C. of R.*

On the 29th of Cold Moon, in company with the Great Keeper of Wampum, I purchased as per direction of Great Council a one thousand fathom bond of United States 5-20 loan of 1865, and deposited same in Fidelity Safe and Trust Company.

I received permission from the Great Sachem of Delaware for adopting into Wawaset Tribe, No. 172, pale faces Frank S. Vernon, G. W. Vernon, and Emmor K. Lloyd, residents of Delaware.

I would remind my brethren that the duties of Great Sachem are increasing very rapidly, as the great increase of our Order also entails much more work on the Great Sachem, there has not been a sun of my term but what I have had numerous letters to write, many of the questions asked could be answered by the brethern by referring to the Constitution of the Order and the Ritual, and would save considerable trouble and time to the Great Sachem.

During my term I have travelled over 3500 miles, paying visits to different Tribes.

To the Board of Appeals, particularly to its efficient chairman, brother W. C. Probasco, my thanks and the thanks of the Great Council are due for their untiring efforts and zeal in attending to their duties.

I also return my thanks to P. G. S. Wiestenberg, and P. S. F. Tschan, of Mohawk Tribe, No. 14, for their many acts of kindness in translating letters from our brother Red Men.

APPEALS.

I received the following appeals, and immediately referred them to the Board of Appeals:—

R. D. Sutherland *vs.* Kuquenaku Tribe, No. 4.

R. T. Owen *vs.* Shickalamy Tribe, No. 148.

T. E. Weber *vs.* Juniata Tribe, 74.

Widow Leidbach *vs.* Conewago Tribe, No. 37.

A. C. Pennypacker *vs.* Powhatan Tribe, No. 48.

The appeal of James Mathias from the action of Mahanoy Tribe, No. 151, was referred back to me by the Board of Appeals, as in their judgment it was a question of law for the Great Sachem to decide. I, therefore, decided as follows:—

"I have examined the papers and documents, and decide that the motion to amend by striking out 'two moons' and inserting 'one moon' was properly decided by the 'usual show,' and that a vote by ballot was not required thereon. The motion as amended having been adopted by ballot, the action of the Tribe was right and proper."

IN MEMORIAM.

DEATH OF P. S.'S ISSACHER EDWARDS AND HANNANIAH WALKER.

The sad duty devolves upon me of officially announcing to you the decease of P. S. Issacher Edwards, of Shawnese Tribe, No. 8, which occurred on the 22d sun of Worm Moon last.

Brother Edwards was prominently known to the Order in this jurisdiction and throughout the entire Fraternity for many great suns, having been one of its earliest members, filling many important positions in this Great Council, and also in the Great Council of the United States.

He was adopted into the Order in Kuquenaku Tribe, No. 4, and subsequently was one of the charter members of Shawnese Tribe, No. 8. He was admitted into this Great Council as a Representative from No. 8, at the session in Cold Moon, G. S. D. 359, and as a Past Sachem in the following Plant Moon. At this session he was elected a Representative to the Great Council of the United States; subsequently he was re-elected to this position at the sessions G. S. D. 363, 364, and 366.

At the session in Travelling Moon, G. S. D. 361, a vacancy having occurred in the office of G. C. of R., he was elected to that position, and subsequently was re-elected and served until the Buck Moon, G. S. D. 366.

In the Great Council of the United States he was elected Great Prophet at the session G. S. D. 362, and Great Junior Sagamore the next session. At the session G. S. D. 366 he was again elected Great Junior Sagamore.

All these several positions brother Edwards filled with credit and ability. During this time he was one of the most active, zealous, ardent, and influential members of this Great Council and the Order.

About ten great suns ago he moved some distance from his Tribe, and was thereby prevented from taking the same active part in the affairs of the Order that he formally did; yet he ever evinced a lively interest in its welfare and prosperity. When the council fires of our Order were lighted by the institution of new Tribes in his neighborhood, he was among the first to welcome them into our fraternity, and always ready to assist them with advice and counsel.

The last time the brother appeared in the Great Council was at the session in Flower Moon, G. S. D. 378.

In the death of P. S. Edwards the Order has lost another, actively identified and connected with its early history—one who, when its objects and principles seemed scarcely understood by the "pale face nation," boldly stood forth as its champion and exampler—whose influence and exertions did much for its progress and prosperity.

I have also to announce the death of P. S. Hannaniah Walker, of Coaquanock Tribe, No. 49, which occurred on the 15th of Plant Moon last.

Brother Walker was well known to all the members of the Great Council for the past ten great suns, for his affable and courteous deportment towards all, and his readiness to perform any duty assigned him.

He was adopted into the Order in Coaquanock Tribe, No. 49, on the 15th of Plant Moon, G. S. D. 368, admitted to the Great Council at the session in Cold Moon, G. S. D. 370, and elected Great Prophet, Buck Moon, G. S. D. 372.

In his death the Order has lost one whose place is not easily filled.

Thus one by one the "grim messenger" beckons us to the "hunting grounds of our fathers"—may we all be prepared to meet his call—may

we cherish the memory of our brothers; emulate their virtues, and profit by their example.

CONCLUSION.

My term of office is now ended. My duties of the great sun have been one of great pleasure. Everywhere I have received a true Red Man's greeting.

I hope my successor's path through office may be as pleasant as mine. It remains with you to make it so. I consider him every way qualified to carry out the laws of the Order, and I sincerely wish that his efforts may meet with greater success than has attended mine.

I sincerely hope that this session will be one of great benefit to our Order, and that our actions may tend to spread it in every town in this jurisdiction.

Hoping the Great Spirit may bless and protect us all, I remain,

Fraternally yours, in F. F. and C.

JAMES A. MOSS, *G. S.*

Which was referred to the proper Committees.

Judge, Tellers, and Clerk, appointed to open and count the returns of election for Great Chiefs, and Representative to the Great Council of United States, presented the following:—

LANCASTER, 7th Sun, Flower Moon, G. S. D. 381,

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The undersigned Judge, Tellers, and Clerk, appointed to open and count the votes for Great Chiefs and Representative to the Great Council of the United States, report the following as the vote cast, viz:—

G. S.—John Rebman of No. 58, received 820 votes.

G. S. S.—Joseph W. Clymer of No. 27, received 818 votes.

G. J. S.—James B. Ziegler of No. 37, received 818 votes.

G. P.—James A. Moss of No. 70, received 794 votes.

G. C. of R.—Andrew J. Baker of No. 7, received 502 votes; Charles C. Conley of No. 51, 245 votes; E. F. Stewart of No. 27, 74 votes.

G. K. of W.—Lewis C. Pierce of No. 48, received 689 votes; Thomas A. Winkworth of No. 8, 126 votes.

Rep. to G. C. of U. S.—Samuel Wright, No. 19, received 44 votes; E. F. Stewart, No. 27, 149; John C. Young, No. 19, 280; Samuel B. Taylor, No. 79, 145; John Beamish, No. 113, 21; Oswald Heckman, No. 15, 59; Ingham W. Bisbing, No. 7, 41; Wm. L. Zane, No. 84, 14; M. J. Thomas, No. 82, 37; Benj. Franklin, No. 138, 19; John J. Pierson, No. 73, 11.

No returns have been received from Nos. 54, 95, 98, 115, 134.

No. 65 incorrect on account of no seal.

No. 120 incorrect on account of seal being pasted on.

GEO. W. KREAMER, *Judge.*
W. H. HARTLEY, } *Tellers.*
G. S. CRAIGHEAD, }
JOSEPH P. YOUNG, *Clerk.*

P. G. S. Stewart, being one of the two having the highest vote for Representative to G. C. of U. S., desired to withdraw his name.

The Great Sachem decided that under the law, and a former decision of the Great Council upon the same question, the P. G. S. could not withdraw his name; from which decision Rep. Brown of No. 2 and P. G. S. Conley appealed; and on the question shall the decision stand as the judgment of the Great Council, a vote by Tribes was demanded by P. S.'s Foust, Moore of No. 52, Jones, Bieber, and Foster, and being ordered were as follows:—

Ayes—1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 11, 12, 14, 18, 19, 20, 22, 26, 30, 31, 32, 37, 38, 40, 41, 43, 44, 47, 48, 49, 50, 52, 54, 56, 57, 58, 63, 65, 66, 68, 70, 71, 72, 73, 76, 82, 84, 87, 89, 93, 96, 100, 102, 104, 106, 107, 109, 112, 113, 116, 118, 121, 128, 130, 131, 132, 139, 140, 142, 146, 147, 148, 150, 151, 153, 154, 155, 158, 163, 164, 166, D. C. 1—78.

Nays—2, 17, 21, 27, 33, 34, 51, 64, 74, 77, 79, 91, 101, 105, 111, 127, 133, 144, 145, 159, D. C. 4.

The following Past Sachems were admitted:—

Martin Stanton,	No. 22	S. J. Thompson,	No. 47
John Levergood,	" 22	L. P. Post,	" 105

The Great Council then proceeded to an election for Representative to the G. C. of U. S., when P. S. John C. Young, of No. 19, was duly elected.

The following invitation was read, and on motion accepted:—

LANCASTER, 7th Sun, Flower Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Sachem, Chiefs, and Representatives of the Great Council of Pennsylvania.

SIRS AND BROTHERS: The undersigned, Chairman of the Joint Committee of Metamora and Red Jacket Tribes, and St. Tammany Degree Council, appointed to make arrangements for the reception and entertainment of the Great Council, would respectfully invite your attendance at a Grand Ball, to be held on this sleep at Fulton Hall, in honor of the Great Council of Pennsylvania; also to participate as a body in a Parade to be held on the 8th sun, first run setting of the sun; also that you meet Metamora Tribe, No. 2, in this wigwam on to-morrow's sleep at the 8th run, where an address will be delivered by G. J. S. Ziegler, after which brother

Schoenberger respectfully invites your attendance at his residence, corner of Plum and Chestnut Streets, to partake of refreshments, &c.

The Joint Committee would further invite your attendance at a Banquet in Fulton Hall, at 9th run setting of the sun, on Thursday the 9th sun, said Banquet being in honor of the Great Council.

Trusting your deliberations at this session may prove beneficial to our beloved Order, and assuring you that the brethren of Lancaster will do all in their power to render your visit pleasant and agreeable, I am, on behalf of the Committee,

Yours truly and fraternally,

P. S. THOMAS W. BROWN, No. 2,
Chairman.

G. I. Wm. B. Eckert, assisted by P. G. S.'s Stewart, Gorham, and Wiestenberg, and P. S.'s Foust, Brown, and Kreamer, duly raised up the Great Chiefs elect.

Great Sachem appointed the following chiefs:—

Great Sannap—George W. Kreamer, No. 45.
G. G. of. W.—Christian Haag, No. 57.
G. G. of. F.—Thomas K. Donnalley, No. 18.

Who were duly raised up to their positions.

Petitions for new Tribes were presented, and referred to Rep. Brown, No. 2, P. S. Bedichimer, No. 45, and P. G. S. Wiestenberg.

Committee on Returns and Reports presented the following:—

LANCASTER, 7th Sun, Flower Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Committee on Returns and Reports beg leave to submit that they have examined the reports of Tribes and Degree Councils placed in our hands by the G. C. of R., and find them correct, except the hereinafter mentioned.

The reports of Nos. 95, 98, 119, and 134, have not been received by the Committee.

The report of No. 88 is entirely incorrect, and would recommend that the report be returned, and the C. of R. be requested to return a correct report.

The receipts from Tribes and Degree Councils for tax as far as received, are 1558 fathoms 3 feet 3 inches.

The deficiencies from Nos. 96 and 155 have been received by the G. C. of R.

We would also recommend a strict enforcement of Article XIX, Sec. 2, By-Laws of Great Council.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

JOHN C. MOORE,
F. WOBENSMITH.

The Council fire was quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

LANCASTER, *8th Sun, Flower Moon, G. S. D.* 381.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled and kindled the Council fire in ample form, at the 9th run rising of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

JOHN REBMAN—Great Sachem.
JOSEPH W. CLYMER—Great Senior Sagamore.
JAMES B. ZIEGLER—Great Junior Sagamore.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
GEORGE W. KREAMER—Great Sannap.
CHRISTIAN HAAG—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 14, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 26, 27, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 38, 39, 41, 42, 43, 44, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54, 57, 58, 61, 63, 64, 65, 66, 68, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 76, 77, 79, 82, 84, 87, 89, 90, 100, 101, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 109, 111, 112, 113, 116, 118, 121, 122, 127, 128, 130, 131, 132, 133, 136, 138, 139, 142, 144, 145, 146, 147, 150, 151, 153, 154, 155, 158, 163, 164, 166, D. C. 1.

Records of yesterday's session read and approved.

Great Sachem announced the following appointments:—

Finance Committee.

P. S. Hartley, No. 8. P. S. Funk, No. 70. P. S. Taylor, No. 79.

Committee on Law and Usage.

P. G. S. Stewart, No. 27. P. G. S. Wiestenberg, No. 5.
P. S. Hollis, No. 50.

Committee on State of Order.

P. G. S. Gorham, No. 17. P. S. Levergood, No. 22. P. S. Brown, No. 2.

Committee on Returns and Reports.

P. S. Wobensmith, No. 116. P. S. Foster, No. 20. P. S. Hazzard, No. 87.

Board of Appeals.

P. S. Probaseo, No. 51. P. S. Campernel, No. 8. P. S. Leisenring, No. 73. P. S. Moore, No. 52. P. S. Kirby, No. 32. P. S. Behrens, No. 135. P. S. Ortlieb, No. 126.

The following Past Sachems were admitted to membership:—

Henry Shertz,	No.	2	Wm. H. Metzger,	No.	59
L. Howard Smith,	"	2	Jacob Kohler,	"	61
Jerry P. Madson,	"	37	Chris. Duttenhoffer,	"	61
George Daron,	"	37	George Hiller,	"	61
George Young,	"	39	John Hamilton,	"	67
George W. Sener,	"	39	Phillip Baustlieher,	"	78
Samuel Greenawalt,	"	39	Chris. Bowman,	"	81
F. H. Booth,	"	39	Andrew Weigle,	"	93
John W. Zell,	"	39	Josiah M. Jones,	"	93
Harry B. Culp,	"	59	Frederiek Wayman,	"	93
F. H. Clair,	"	59	Henry Taylor,	"	161
H. H. Kreiner,	"	59	John C. Collins, D. C.	"	2
J. G. Metzger,	"	59	Henry Miller, " "		4

Committee on application for Charters presented the following:—

LANCASTER, 8th Sun, Flower Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The undersigned Committee to whom was referred the several petitions for eharters for new Tribes, would respeetfully report that they have examined the same, and beg leave to offer the following:—

Resolved, That eharters be granted to Nos. 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, and 178.

Yours in F. F. and C.

THOMAS W. BROWN,
C. WIESTENBERG,
ISAAC BEDICHIMER.

Rep. Reese moved the report be accepted and the resolution adopted, which was agreed to.

The Great Chiefs presented the following report:—

LANCASTER, 8th Sun, Flower Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Great Chiefs respectfully report that in accordance with the instructions of the Great Council, they have procured two communicating rooms in the building No. 16 North Seventh Street, "for the office of G. C. of R. and the accommodation of committees," at an annual rental of two hundred fathoms, payable quarterly in advance.

After using due economy in furnishing the same, we have found it impossible to keep within the amount appropriated for that purpose, and have incurred an expense exceeding the appropriation of forty-three fathoms five feet, for which we respectfully request that an order be drawn.

In addition to this there are other articles required for the preservation and safety of the property of the Great Council and for the convenience of committees, which we hesitated about procuring.

Very respectfully yours,

JAMES A. MOSS, *G. S.*
JOHN REBMAN, *G. S. S.*
JOSEPH W. CLYMER, *G. J. S.*
ANDREW J. BAKER, *G. C. of R.*
LEWIS C. PIERCE, *G. K. of W.*

Rep. Moore, No. 48, moved the report be accepted, and an order be drawn for the amount of deficiency, which was agreed to.

It was moved that an appropriation of twenty-five fathoms be made to the Great Chiefs, for additional articles required at the office.

Rep. Reese moved to strike out twenty-five fathoms, and insert such amount as may be necessary, which was lost.

The motion was then adopted.

The Great Chiefs presented the following report, which was on motion received and the cases taken up *seriatim*:—

LANCASTER, 8th Sun, Flower Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Great Chiefs report that they have received the reports of the Board of Appeals in the following cases:—

Weber *vs.* Juniata Tribe, No. 74. The Board report the following recommendation: "Resolved, That the appeal be sustained, and Juniata Tribe be directed to reinstate brother Weber to his former standing, the

Board deeming the evidence insufficient to convict him of an intention to defraud."

Which recommendation was approved by the Great Chiefs.

Widow Liedbach *vs.* Conewago Tribe, No. 37. The Board has arrived at the following conclusion: "Resolved, That the appeal be dismissed."

Recommendation approved.

Sutherland *vs.* Kuquenaku Tribe, No. 4. The Board offer the following: "Resolved, That the appeal be sustained, and the Tribe be ordered to pay him the benefits claimed."

Which recommendation has not been approved.

Pennapacker *vs.* Powhatan Tribe, No. 48. The Board adopted the following: "Resolved, That the appeal be sustained on account of informality of the whole proceeding, and the Tribe be directed to reinstate brother A. C. Pennapacker and pay him his benefits."

See paper marked appeal.

The papers in this case having the semblance of being regular and in accordance with the law, no evidence to the contrary being submitted to us, we have not approved the report.

Very respectfully yours,

JAMES A. MOSS, *G. S.*
JOHN REBMAN, *G. S. S.*
JOSEPH W. CLYMER, *G. J. S.*
ANDREW J. BAKER, *G. C. of R.*
LEWIS C. PIERCE, *G. K. of W.*

In the case of Sutherland *vs.* Kuquenaku Tribe, No. 4, it was moved that the recommendation of the Board of Appeals be approved, which was lost. Ayes, 42; Nays, 49.

In the case of Pennapacker *vs.* Powhatan Tribe, No. 48, Rep. Foster moved that the decision of the Board of Appeals be approved, which was agreed to.

On motion, the session of this afternoon was dispensed with.

The Representative of No. 166 was excused from further attendance.

Council fire quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

LANCASTER, *9th Sun, Flower Moon, G. S. D.* 381.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled and kindled the Council fire, at the 9th run rising of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

JOHN REBMAN—Great Sachem.
JOSEPH W. CLYMER—Great Senior Sagamore.
JAMES B. ZIEGLER—Great Junior Sagamore.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
GEORGE W. KREAMER—Great Sannap.
CHRISTIAN HAAG—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 14, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 26, 27, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 38, 41, 42, 43, 44, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54, 57, 58, 60, 61, 63, 64, 65, 67, 68, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 76, 77, 78, 79, 82, 83, 84, 86, 89, 91, 93, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 106, 107, 109, 111, 112, 113, 116, 118, 121, 122, 126, 127, 128, 130, 131, 132, 133, 136, 138, 139, 140, 142, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 150, 151, 153, 154, 155, 161, 163, 164, D. C. 1, 3, 4.

Records of yesterday's session read and approved.

Representatives of Nos. 33, 37, 40, 66, 100, 130, and 138, were excused from further attendance.

The following Past Sachems were admitted to membership:—

Phillip Wolf,	No. 44	Aaron Emanuel,	No. 91
Jos. A. Schlegelmilch,	" 59	John W. Shirey,	" 93

Rep. Moore, No. 52, moved to reconsider the vote approving the report of the Board of Appeals in the case of Pennapacker *vs.* Powhatan Tribe, No. 48.

Great Sachem decided that a motion to reconsider is not debatable.

An appeal from this decision was taken, and on the question shall the decision stand as the judgment of the Great Council it was decided in the negative.

The motion to reconsider was lost. Ayes, 47; Nays, 58.

Committee on "Red Men's Rest" presented the following:—

LANCASTER, 9th Sun, Flower Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvanin—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Red Men's Rest respectfully report having sold upwards of four hundred lots. They have received and paid over to the Company fifteen hundred and six fathoms three feet five inches, and hold the check of the Company for three hundred and one fathoms two feet seven inches in favor of the Hall Fund, subject to the order of the Great Council, under the agreement of the Committee with the Fernwood Company.

The Company have notified the Committee that on and after the 1st of Hot Moon next, the lots in the adjoining Section will be raised in price, which will necessarily increase the value of the lots in the Red Men's Rest.

The Committee embrace the opportunity of urging upon the Red Men of making an early purchase of lots. An Excursion, of which due notice will be issued, will be given to the grounds about the 1st of Hot Moon.

We offer the following resolution and ask that it be adopted:—

Resolved, That the G. K. of W. be and he is hereby instructed to purchase United States bonds for the amount paid over to him by the Committee on Cemetery, and deposit the same with the Fidelity Trust and Safe Deposit Company, in trust for the Hall Fund, and as the interest thereon from time to time accrues, that he deposit the same in the Philadelphia Saving Fund, until it amounts to sufficient to purchase an additional bond, which he shall deposit in the same manner as above provided.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

MORRIS H. GORHAM,
E. F. STEWART,
WM. B. ECKERT,
S. B. TAYLOR.

It was moved that the report be accepted and the resolution adopted.

P. S. Kreamer moved to strike out United States bonds, and insert six per cent. bonds of the City of Philadelphia, free of taxation, which was accepted by the Committee.

Rep. Buscher moved to strike out bonds of the City of Philadelphia, and insert Pennsylvania Rail Road stock. Lost. Ayes, 41; Nays, 49.

The motion was adopted. Ayes, 60; Nays, 30.

Committee on State of the Order presented the following:—

LANCASTER, 9th Sun, Flower Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on the State of the Order, to whom was referred by special resolution in the Cold Moon last, so much of the Long Talk of Great Sachem Moss as relates to Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, have given the subject their careful consideration, and respectfully present the following in relation thereto:—

On the 5th of Travelling Moon, P. S. Harry Lang notified the Great Sachem that he had been suspended from all the rights and privileges of membership for the period of eight seven suns, for being six moons in arrears for dues. P. S. Lang stated in this notice to the Great Sachem, that when notified of the fact, he paid up his dues with three moons in advance. He had asked leave to appeal to the Tribe, but had been denied that right by the Sachem, S. C. Woodhead; he therefore asked the Great Sachem's decision on the following question: "Can a Sachem suspend a member for the term of eight seven suns, from all the rights and privileges of the Order, for being in arrears six moons?"

The Great Sachem, in a communication dated the 6th of Travelling Moon, informed the Tribe of the information he had received from P. S. Lang, and notified them that Section 1, Article XXI, By-Laws of the Tribe, should be interpreted to mean, "he shall stand suspended from receiving *benefits only* for eight seven suns," and expressed the hope that the Tribe would put the proper construction on their By-Laws, and place brother Lang properly before the Tribe.

Your Committee approve the construction placed upon Section 1, Article XXI, of the By-Laws of the Tribe by the Great Sachem, though they think documents of so much importance should be attested by the Great Chief of Records, and the seal of the Great Council. The action of the Tribe in this matter included a two-fold offence—an infringement of the rights of a member, and a clear and palpable violation of the law, and should have been met by a firm decision on the part of the Great Sachem, rather than by a recommendatory note.

The Tribe disregarded the wishes of the Great Sachem, for again in a communication dated the 12th of Travelling Moon, P. S. Lang informed him that his communication of the 6th to the Tribe, was on motion laid on the table; the Sachem, S. C. Woodhead, directing P. S. Taylor to take his seat when he rose to protest against the treatment the Great Sachem's document had received.

In the same communication, P. S. Lang requested the Great Sachem to be present at the council of the Tribe on the 18th, to assert his authority, and maintain the rights of members. No response having been made to this, P. S. Lang again addressed a communication to the Great Sachem, dated 26th of Travelling Moon, in which he informed him that he had presented charges against Sachem Woodhead, and that the said Sachem, S. C. Woodhead, refused to allow the charges to be entertained; and that on the follow-

ing sleep he allowed a motion to be made and put to vote by which he (Lang) was suspended for the period of five great suns, without charges having been preferred against him as required by Article XVIII of the Constitution of Tribes, and Articie XVI of the By-Laws of the Tribe.

The Great Sachem thereupon advised P. S. Lang to proceed in accordance with Article XXII, By-Laws of the Great Council, and Article XVIII, Section 5, Constitution of Tribes.

In the judgment of your Committee, the Great Sachem erred in giving this advice, as they do not think P. S. Lang's case came under the provisions of the law named. P. S. Lang had been peremptorily suspended once for eight seven suns, and once for five great suns, not in the usual formal manner, but by the dictum of a Sachem who would allow no appeal to the Tribe. P. S. Lang had not been tried, not even charged according to our laws. In his case the law had been grossly defied and outraged, and as already stated, the timid but courteous advice of the Great Sachem had been set at naught, and the whole matter resolved itself into a question of plain duty on the part of the Great Sachem, which was to see that the laws were enforced and obeyed. He had only to open the Proceedings of this body to find precedents and guides, had be been fearful how to act.

P. S. Wm. Batty was in like manner with Lang suspended for five great suns without charges or trial. P. S. Lang notified the Great Sachem that he did not intend to go before the Board of Appeals, and submitted to him questions of law, and in this was joined by P. S.'s Taylor, Halstead, and Batty.

Brother Batty, in a communication dated 16th of Beaver Moon, makes other complaints to the Great Sachem of the violation of law by Sachem Woodhead, and asks his decision upon the question whether a "Tribe can suspend a member on a resolution without first preferring charges, and giving an impartial trial?" Here was another plain question of law, and yet the Great Sachem instead of seeing the law righted, defers action, and gravely tells this Great Council in his Long Talk, that "harmony would be better promoted by allowing the members time to reflect upon their course."

On the 27th of Beaver Moon, a special session of the Tribe was held, the call for which had been published in the Public Record; the call for this council is worthy of notice; it is as follows:—

"*To the Sachem, &c.*

We the undersigned request you to convene a special council of the Tribe at as early a date as possible, for the consideration of important business, which will be made known after the kindling of the council fire.

Signed, E. G. Waters, George E. Warren,
E. Worrell, A. B. Maloney,
James Butt."

After the call had been read, the Prophet, E. Worrell, rose and said, that he, with some of the other brothers of the Tribe, had received information from undoubted authority that it was the purpose of certain members of the

Great Council to demand that P. S.'s Lang and Batty be reinstated in the Tribe, although said Past Sachems (Lang and Batty) had made no legal appeal to the Great Council, but the matter of their suspension had been manouvered in such away, that the chiefs of that body could not help noticing it; that the ring formed by certain members of the Great Council was considered so powerful for the present, that certain members of it had even dared to threaten certain chiefs of the Great Council of the State, if they did not do as the ring demanded; that the Great Sachêm through no fear of the ring, but in justice to his position, would be compelled to communicate with the Tribe on the subject; that the purport of the communication would be very likely to be a demand for the reinstatement of the two suspended members, and that in the event of the Tribe refusing to obey the mandate, it was the purpose of the ring to have a special session of the Great Council, when its strength would enable it (the ring) to have the charter of the Tribe taken away, together with all its property; and that the present special council of the Tribe had been called for the purpose of defeating the machinations of the ring.

It was then moved and seconded that Lang and Batty be reinstated in the Tribe. The motion was lost.

A motion was then adopted appropriating two hundred and eighty fathoms of the Tribe's wampum to Redding Frake, the Keeper of Wampum, for alleged services; the vote upon donating away the wampum was seventeen, all who were present voting affirmatively, except brother Hagy, who refused to vote, whereupon Sachem Woodhead directed that Hagy's vote should also be recorded with the affirmative. An order was then drawn in favor of Redding Frake for the wampum which had been donated to him.

Another communication dated the 28th of Beaver Moon was addressed to the Tribe by the Great Sachem, in which several decisions were made, and in all of which your Committee fully concur. But this communication was issued too late. Had the same firmness and decision been shown on the 6th of Travelling Moon, your Committee believe that most, if not all of the difficulties encountered by Minnewa Tribe might have been averted.

On the 23d of Beaver Moon, a call for a special session of this Great Council was presented to the Great Sachem, signed by forty members of the Order, which we believe finally determined him to issue the document of the 28th of Beaver Moon just mentioned. No mention however of this circumstance is made by the Great Sachem in his Long Talk.

The right of the Great Sachem to withhold a call for a special session when presented to him by a legal number of signers, is not vested in him by the laws. We cannot reasonably suppose that forty members would be induced by any light circumstance to append their names to such a document so near the time for holding the regular council of this body; and if it was disregarded through the wish or influence of counsel upon either side, it was no less wrong and illegal. Section 2, Article XVI, of the By-Laws of this body says: "Upon the application of fifteen Past Sachems of eight Tribes, the Great Sachem *shall* direct the Great Chief of Records to call a special

session after giving three suns notice to all the Tribes in the State." The language of the law is imperative, and no discretion is vested in any one to coquette with, or withhold such a document.

In his Long Talk to this Great Council, the Great Sachem informed us that he had received a communication from Minnewa Tribe, dated the 9th of Hunting Moon, in which they state that they had complied with his decision, and restored P. S.'s Batty and Lang to their full membership; and also setting forth, that on the regular council sleep of their Tribe, the *lessee* of the wigwam refused them admission, and they were compelled to kindle their council fire in an another, and they requested him to sanction and legalize their temporary removal, which he immediately complied with.

Your Committee regret exceedingly to be compelled to say that the above statements, as unqualifiedly made to this Great Council, are deceptive. They are paradoxal—at once true and false, and all the more deceptive by reason of the truth they contain.

On the 29th of Beaver Moon, the Great Sachem was present at Minnewa Tribe, when a resolution to receive his communication of the 28th and comply with its demands was offered. That resolution was nagatived by a vote of 16 yeas to 9 nays, so says the records of that Tribe. He had heard the record of the special session of the 27th read, and could not be ignorant of what had been done.

At a special session of the Tribe held on the 4th of Hunting Moon, a motion was adopted to vacate the wigwam, and at the same time it was decided that when the council fire was quenched, it should be rekindled on the 13th sleep of Hunting Moon, thus omitting the regular council, which should have been held on the 6th of Hunting Moon. At this same special council, cards were on motion granted E. Worrell, the Prophet, S. C. Woodhead, the Sachem, E. G. Waters, the Senior Sagamore, A. B. Maloney, James B. Butt, Charles Wray, the Chief of Records, John Garren, Redding Frake, the Keeper of Wampum, G. E. Warren, Lewis Frederick, H. W. Johnson, F. Moor, Eugene Dewey, James Donnelly, C. Bird, the Lessee of the wigwam, D. Buist, Frank Waters, B. Turner, G. F. Huntingdon, and T. H. Johnson, being in all twenty-one. But the cards thus granted or issued consisted of a list of their names on a sheet of paper, to which they directed the seal of the Tribe to be attached. These were the men who constituted the Minnewa Tribe when it had defied the Great Sachem; suspended brothers Lang and Batty; donated away its wampum to one of their own members; vacated their wigwam; granted themselves cards, and left the Tribe without a quorum to quench its council fire on the 4th of Hunting Moon, G. S. D. 380.

This Minnewa Tribe did not comply with the Great Sachem's decision; did not reinstate brothers Batty and Lang; and was not refused admission to their wigwam by the lessee. The lessee was one of their party, and was in their confidence when they by a formal vote as Minnewa Tribe vacated their wigwam, that they might occupy it as an independent organization.

P. S. Taylor, Renshaw, Halstead, and Jamison, four in all, then took possession of what remained of Minnewa Tribe, each filling an official position by self appointment, but still not constituting a quorum.

On the 6th of Hunting Moon, the regular council sleep of Minnewa Tribe, P. S. Taylor, W. S. Lilly, G. Raney, J. J. Halstead, D. H. Gonnersall, D. C. Davis, W. A. Hagy, John R. Allen, J. D. Jamison, H. Porter, Harry Lang, and Wm. Batty, as a legal stratagem, assembled in front of the wigwam and claimed to be the Tribe.

These brothers who had throughout been true to their obligations and loyal to the Order, but who had been persecuted, driven from their wigwam, and suspended in open violation of law, and gagged down upon their seats when they attempted to open their lips in behalf of justice and violated law, were the Minnewa Tribe that complied with the decisions of the Great Sachem, restored P. S.'s Batty and Lang to their full membership, that were excluded from the wigwam by the lessee, and who asked the Great Sachem to legalize their temporary removal; whilst the men who ruled through all the troubles and committed the outrages, had possession of the wigwam and engaged in the formation of the "Mystery Men of the Aboriginees."

Your Committee cannot resist the conviction that had the Great Sachem acted with promptness and decision, very little trouble would have occurred to Minnewa Tribe, and much bitterness of feeling would have been avoided.

In bringing this report to a close, your Committee desire to express their regret at the length to which they have been compelled to extend it. Their task has been an unpleasant one, and duty to the Order alone has actuated them in presenting the points in the plain language they have used.

The growing importance of our Order as a beneficial and social organization, the influence it must exercise upon our rapidly increasing membership, must be felt by the outside community, and demands at our hands a watchful care how the several stewardships are fulfilled. Let those who aspire to fill the highest positions in our organization, understand that such positions were created for the welfare of the Order, and not for the mere gratification of personal ambition or vanity. Let them feel that while they are assuming positions of honor, they are also taking upon themselves grave responsibilities, for the faithful discharge of which, they will be held to a strict account.

In conclusion, we ask that the report be adopted and the Committee be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

All of which is submitted in F. F. and C.

MORRIS H. GORHAM,
ROBERT SIMS.

It was moved the report be adopted.

Rep. McNeil, No. 22, moved to strike out all of the report that censures the Great Sachem for not calling a special session, which was lost. Ayes, 49; Nays, 60.

Council fire quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

LANCASTER, *9th Sun, Flower Moon, G. S. D.* 381.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled and kindled the Council fire in ample form, at the 2d run setting of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

JOHN REBMAN—Great Sachem.
JOSEPH W. CLYMER—Great Senior Sagamore.
JAMES B. ZIEGLER—Great Junior Sagamore.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
GEORGE W. KREAMER—Great Sannap.
CHRISTIAN HAAG—Great Guard of Wigwam.
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 11, 13, 14, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 26, 27, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 38, 39, 41, 42, 43, 44, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54, 57, 58, 60, 61, 63, 67, 68, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 76, 77, 78, 79, 82, 83, 84, 86, 87, 89, 90, 91, 93, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 109, 111, 112, 113, 116, 118, 121, 126, 127, 128, 130, 131, 132, 133, 136, 139, 140, 142, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 150, 151, 153, 154, 155, 158, 161, 163, 164, D. C. 1, 4.

Records of morning session read and approved.

Representatives from Nos. 67, 72, 74, 78, 79, 93, 118, 136, and 140, were, on motion, excused from further attendance.

The consideration of the report of the Committee on State of the Order was resumed.

The previous question was demanded and sustained.

On the question to adopt the report a vote by Tribes was demanded by Kirby, Hollis, Thomas, Rodbard, McNeil, and being ordered were as follows:—

Ayes—1, 3, 5, 8, 12, 14, 17, 21, 27, 30, 33, 34, 39. 41, 43, 44. 48, 49, 51, 54, 61, 63, 66, 72, 74, 76, 77, 78, 79, 82, 83, 84, 86. 87, 90, 91, 93, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 109, 111, 113, 122, 127, 128, 133, 144, 145, 148, 150, 151, 158, 159, 161, D. C. 4—60.

Nays—4, 7, 11, 13, 18, 19, 22, 26, 31, 32, 38, 42, 45, 50, 52, 57, 58, 60, 64, 67, 68, 70, 71, 73, 89, 112, 116, 118, 121, 126, 130, 131, 132, 136, 139, 142, 146, 147, 153, 154, 155, 163, 164, D. C. 1—44.

Rep. Wallace, No. 21, presented the following, which was adopted:—

Whereas, Certain members of Minnewa Tribe did, on the 4th sleep of Hunting Moon, G. S. D. 380, vote away to the Keeper of Wampum the wampum of the Tribe to the amount of two hundred and eighty fathoms, that after that they voted themselves cards, thus virtually dissolving the Tribe, which has been done contrary to all law and usage; therefore—

Resolved, That the cards granted to themselves by the said brothers be declared null and void, and the G. C. of R. be directed to notify the various Tribes throughout this jurisdiction of the action of the Great Council.

Rep. Moore, No. 52, presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the thanks of this Great Council are due and are hereby tendered to P. G. S. Moss, for the faithful performance of the important duties of Great Sachem of Pennsylvania.

P. S. Taylor, No. 79, presented the following:—

Resolved, That the Great Council of the State of Pennsylvania assume the expenses of Minnewa Tribe in regaining their wampum.

Rep. Rodbard moved to refer it to the Finance Committee. Carried.

Committee on Law and Usage presented the following:—

LANCASTER, 9th Sun, Flower Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage would respectfully report that they have had submitted to them amendments to the laws of Nos. 26, 30, 44, 49, 67, 71, 84, 127, 133, 139, 143, and 156, which they have approved.

They have also examined full sets of laws from Nos. 2, 5, 21, 40, 41, 60, 76, 154, 165, 166, and 167, which, after having modified and changed to make them conform to the Constitution and decisions of this Great Council, they have approved.

The Committee received a set of laws from No. 163, which, upon examination, they found to contain matter in conflict with the Constitution, with several Sections upon the same subject, they were compelled to return them without their approval for further action by the Tribe.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

E. F. STEWART,
GEO. W. KREAMER.

On motion, the report was accepted.

Committee on Law and Usage presented the following:—

LANCASTER, 9th Sun, Flower Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage, to whom was referred that part of the Great Sachem's Report relating to Appeals, Dispensations, and Decisions, would respectfully submit that they have given the different subjects their careful consideration, and find that the Appeals have been promptly and properly referred, and that the Dispensations granted were in accordance with the laws and usages of the Order; also, that the Decisions rendered have been strictly in accordance with the law.

Respectfully submitted,

E. F. STEWART,
GEO. W. KREAMER.

On motion, the report was accepted.

At their request a new charter was directed to be filled up and furnished to Ongpatonga Tribe, No. 67, provided that they pay the entire expenses of the same.

On motion, the 4th run was made the special order for the exemplification of the Unwritten Work.

On motion, an order for one fathom five feet was directed to be drawn in favor of Poutaxet Tribe, No. 145, to reimburse them for the amount paid for a new charter plate.

Rep. Larke, No. 51, presented the following:—

Whereas, The Committee on Law and Usage have decided upon a question propounded by our Representative (by order of the Tribe), upon the lawfulness of a Tribe to act upon the report of a committee of three—two reporting, one in favor, one against, and one absent, in a negative form; therefore be it—

Resolved, That our Representative be instructed and requested to appeal from the decision of the Committee on Law and Usage, and bring it before the Great Council for their deliberation and decision.

On motion, the decision of the Committee was approved.

Committee on Digest presented the following:—

LANCASTER, 9th Sun, Flower Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Committee on Digest respectfully report their inability to report finally at the present session. They request that further time be allowed them, and that they be authorised to also digest the laws.

Yours in F. F. and C.

A. CAMERON,
MORRIS H. GORHAM,
ANDREW J. BAKER,
E. F. STEWART,
C. WIESTENBERG.

On motion, the report was accepted and the Committee authorized to proceed as requested.

G. C. of R. Baker presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the Representatives to the Great Council of the United States be and they are hereby instructed to vote in favor of rescinding the decision on pages 134, 162, 164, Vol. III, Proceedings Great Council of United States, which disqualifies for membership a pale face who has lost a hand or arm.

Rep. Scott, No. 58, presented the following:—

Resolved, That the Representatives to the Great Council of United States be and they are hereby instructed to present a resolution requiring all the business of a Tribe to be transacted in the Chief's degree, and that they be instructed to vote for the same.

Which was, on motion, laid on the table.

Rep. Vandyke presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That this Great Council hereafter shall not take part in any procession or other out-door display, until after all the business of the Council shall have been transacted.

The following decision of the Great Incohonee was read:—

PHILADELPHIA, 12th Sun, Snow Moon, G. S. D. 381.

JAMES A. MOSS, *G. S.*

DEAR CHIEF: In reply to your communication of the 9th of Snow Moon, asking the following question: "Has a Tribe the right to print a copy of their charter with their Constitution and By-Laws?" I submit the following:—

Decision.—Charter Plates are furnished by the Great Council of the United States for a specific purpose, and in a peculiar form. It has not been the usage to print it in the laws, and I feel constrained to decide that a Tribe has not the right to print a copy of their charter with their Constitution and By-Laws, unless said privilege is granted by the Great Council of the United States.

Yours in F. F. and C.

WM. B. ECKERT, *G. I. of U. S.*

Rep. Buscher presented the following, which was adopted:–

Resolved, That the G. C. of R. be requested, that in having the Proceedings of this Great Council printed, to have all the German Tribes marked on the margin of the reports of six moon.

G. C. of R. Baker presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the Representatives to the Great Council of the United States be instructed to ask permission to allow Tribes to have printed with their Constitution and By-Laws a copy of their charter.

The 4th run having arrived, G. I. Eckert, P. G. S. Gorham, and G. S. S. Clymer, by request, exemplified the Unwritten Work.

Rep. Hollis presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That this Great Council has heard with regret of the death of ex-G. C. of R. P. S. Issacher Edwards of No. 8, and P. S. Hannaniah Walker of No. 49, ex-G. P., and cheerfully bear record to their untiring faithfulness in the discharge of the duties imposed upon them while members of this Great Council, and their untiring zeal in the advocacy of the principles of the Order; and further, that we extend our warmest sympathies to the families of our deceased brothers.

Resolved, That the above be suitably engrossed and presented to the families of our deceased brothers.

The Finance Committee presented the following:—

Lancaster, 9th Sun, Flower Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvanin—Improved Order of Red Men.

Chiefs and Brothers: The Finance Committee would respectfully report that they have examined the books of the G. C. of R. and G. K. of W. and find the same correct as per statement, as follows:—

	fa.	ft.	in.
Balance in Belt, Cold Moon	182	0	9
Receipts at session	3498	1	0
	3680	1	9
Paid out as per orders	3035	3	4
Balance in Belt, Cold Moon	644	8	5
Invested in 5-20 loan U. S.	1000	0	0
	1644	8	5
Receipts present session, Tax	1563	6	3
" " Charters	300	0	0
" " Dispensations	183	0	0
" " Books, Cards, &c.	65	3	7
" " Sale of Proceedings	12	0	0
	3768	8	5

We have examined the following bills, and find the same correct:—

Wm. B. Eckert, printing Proceedings, &c.	303	2	5
A. J. Baker, salary G. C. of R.	400	0	0
" express, freight, &c.	8	3	5
" postage, telegrams, &c.	45	9	0
" advertising adjourned session	3	3	0
" travelling expenses, attending session	2	0	0
" advanced for supplies G. C. of U. S.	204	0	0
R. L. Dickson, for filling charters	9	0	0
" resolutions Weaver and Larkin	25	0	0
Frank & Co., printing German Proceedings	120	0	0
Beverly Copes, binding Proceedings and Reports	5	5	0
McIlwain & Brooks, making P. S. Books	11	0	0
John Benkert, translating	25	0	0
E. F. Stewart, Chairman Com. L. U., postage, &c.	1	6	0
M. H. Gorham, rent, gas, &c.	24	5	0
Janitor of Wigwam	5	0	0
James A. Moss, G. P., travelling expenses	12	0	0
John Rebman, G. S. "	22	6	0
Joseph W. Clymer, G. S. S. "	12	0	0
James B. Ziegler, G. J. S. "	11	2	2
Lewis C. Pierce, G. K. of W. "	12	0	0
H. J. Stoner, G. G. of W. "	12	0	0
Thos. K. Donnalley, G. G. of F., salary, &c.	27	0	0
E. F. Stewart, Com. L. and U., mileage	3	4	0
C. Wiestenberg, "	3	4	0
G. W. Kreamer, "	3	4	0
W. H. Hartley, Teller of Election, "	3	4	0
J. C. Young, Clerk " "	3	4	0
G. S. Craighead, Teller " "	3	4	0

			fa.	ft.	in.
J. David Miller, Finance Com., mileage			3	4	0
H. Fite,	"	"	3	4	0
S. B. Taylor,	"	"	3	4	0
Rent of Office			75	0	0
Curtis Roberts,	No.	1,	4	2	5
Christian Yeakle,	"	3,	3	4	0
Marcus Reese,	"	4,	3	4	0
Ferdinand Friend,	"	5,	3	4	0
John R. Cantlin,	"	7,	3	4	0
Ira W. Campernel,	"	8,	3	4	0
Wm. Paxson,	"	11,		6	0
R. R. Barr,	"	12,	1	7	5
John Wm. Batt,	"	13,	3	6	0
Henry Mayfarth,	"	14,	3	4	0
M. H. Gorham,	"	17,	3	4	0
Henry S. Coyle,	"	18,	3	4	0
Israel J. Fisher,	"	19,	3	4	0
Samuel N. Foster,	"	20,	3	4	0
Samuel J. Wallace,	"	21,	3	4	0
John H. Catron,	"	26,	3	4	0
Frederick K. Hubbs,	"	27,	3	4	0
Francis Rodbard,	"	30,	3	6	5
J. W. Cress,	"	31,	3	2	0
J. M. Kirby,	"	32,	3	4	0
E. V. O'Neil,	"	33,	3	4	0
A. J. Morgan,	"	34,	3	4	0
Christian Markley,	"	37,	1	4	0
J. W. Walters,	"	38,	3	4	0
James McGinnis,	"	39,		6	0
David Williams,	"	41,	5	0	0
B. F. Kepner,	"	42,	4	3	0
Robert Sims,	"	43,	3	4	0
John C. Moore,	"	48,	3	4	0
Wm. B. Eckert,	"	49,	3	4	0
H. F. Bissout,	"	50,	3	4	0
Henry Larke,	"	51,	3	4	0
Thomas T. Moore,	"	52,	3	4	0
James Black,	"	54,	1	9	5
Christian Haag,	"	57,	14	3	5
John M. Scott,	"	58,	14	3	5
Frank G. Pennell,	"	59,		6	0
John A. Frederick,	"	61,	1	8	5
F. J. Cornman,	"	63,	3	4	0
Adam Kustus,	"	64,	14	2	0
Wm. R. Jones,	"	66,	10	3	5

			fa.	ft.	in.
John Hamilton,	No.	67,	4	9	0
L. B. Kline,	"	68,	6	7	0
A, J. Funk,	"	70,	3	4	0
W. H. McClellan,	"	71,	5	5	0
Joseph L. McQuistan,	"	72,	13	2	0
Charles M. Leisenring,	"	73,	3	4	0
George W. Hassinger,	"	74,	2	1	0
Justis C. Wright,	"	76,	3	4	0
Augustus Arms,	"	77,	5	3	0
Philip Baustlicker,	"	78,	1	4	0
David Renshaw,	"	79,	3	4	0
John W. Smith,	"	82,	3	7	5
H. E. Williams,	"	83,	1	8	0
James Dewey,	"	84,	5	0	0
James M. Smith,	"	86,	4	2	5
Ezra H. Hazzard,	"	87,	3	4	0
E. H. Gerry,	"	89,	2	4	0
Thomas Rasbridge,	"	90,	7	5	0
Wm. Lutz,	"	91,	1	8	5
John H. Spahr,	"	93,	1	4	0
Eli R. Miller,	"	100,	2	1	5
George F. Lidy,	"	101,	5	5	0
John A. Boyer,	"	102,	7	7	0
Charles S. McCoy,	"	103,	14	2	0
Wm. H. Bantom,	"	104,	3	4	0
Lewis P. Post,	"	105,	10	0	0
Andrew Elliott,	"	106,	5	5	0
David W. Price,	"	107,	7	4	0
Wm. R. Hemphill,	"	109,	8	9	0
J. T. Carroll,	"	111,	15	1	0
James B. Vandyke,	"	112,	17	3	5
Samuel J. Glenn,	"	113,	3	4	0
Frank Wobensmith,	"	116,	3	4	0
Wm. Ramsey,	"	118,	3	4	0
Merritt A. Brown,	"	121,	6	2	0
David Henry,	"	122,	2	1	0
Trubert Ortleib,	"	126,	3	4	0
Wm. M. Holt,	"	127,	4	4	0
A. C. Montanye,	"	128,	9	0	0
C. L. Adams,	"	130,	7	5	0
Alfred D. Rebok,	"	131,	3	9	0
Samuel Johnson,	"	132,	7	8	5
Charles H. Moss,	"	133,	3	4	0
Selim S. Thomas,	"	136,	3	4	0
Samuel Wilson,	"	138,	3	4	0

			fa.	ft.	in.
John Barnholdt,	No. 139,	. . . . .	3	4	0
Charles Ehrhard,	" 140,	. . . . .	10	0	0
John H. Reitz,	" 142,	. . . . .	20	2	5
John H. Wiley,	" 144,	. . . . .	3	4	0
Harry Buscher,	" 145,	. . . . .	3	4	0
J. M. Rankin,	" 146,	. . . . .	17	7	5
H. A. Planee,	" 147,	. . . . .	20	7	0
A. F. Elms,	" 148,	. . . . .	5	4	5
John G. Leidig,	" 150,	. . . . .	4	4	5
H. J. Bashore,	" 151,	. . . . .	4	7	0
Oscar Foust,	" 153,	. . . . .	5	3	0
Morgan L. Bahn,	" 154,	. . . . .	4	5	5
W. W. Littlehales,	" 155,	. . . . .	4	9	0
Edward Golding,	" 158,	. . . . .	3	7	5
Henry Taylor,	" 161,	. . . . .	3	6	5
W. H. R. Kelty,	" 163,	. . . . .	21	8	5
Charles Cheney,	" 164,	. . . . .	20	3	5
Newton H. Bieber,	" 166,	. . . . .	4	4	0
W. G. Hollis, D. C.	" 1,	. . . . .	3	4	0
John Benkert, "	" 3,	. . . . .	3	4	0

Your Committee would offer the following resolutions, and ask their adoption:—

Resolved, That orders be drawn for the several bills reported correct.

Resolved, That an appropriation be made of seven hundred and eighty fathoms, for tax due the Great Council of the United States.

Resolved, That an appropriation be made of four hundred and fifty fathoms, for percentage due G. C. of U. S.

Resolved, That the Great Chiefs, just prior to the first sun of Corn Moon next, dispose of the one thousand fathom bond deposited in the Fidelity Trust Company.

Resolved, That an appropriation of sixty fathoms be made to each of the Representatives to the G. C. of U. S. attending the session of the said Great Council, they in addition to receive the mileage granted by the G. C. of U. S.—no order to be drawn prior to the first sun of Corn Moon.

Resolved, That an appropriation be made to Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, of sixty-five fathoms, to reimburse them for expenses incurred in their suit against their delinquent Keeper of Wampum.

Resolved, That an appropriation be made to P. G. S. Moss, to cover expenses incurred the last four moons, of one hundred fathoms.

Resolved, That the Great Chiefs be authorized to draw an order for fifty fathoms, to pay the rent of office due first sun of Sturgeon Moon.

Fraternally submitted,

W. H. HARTLEY,
S. B. TAYLOR,
A. J. FUNK.

Rep. Hollis moved to accept the report and proceed to the consideration of the several items, which was adopted.

The resolutions were again severally read and adopted.

P. S. McCormack presented the following:—

Resolved, That the Representatives to the Great Council of the United States be instructed to vote to reverse the decision of the Great Incohonec in the manner of candidates saluting the chair.

On motion, it was laid on the table.

G. C. of R. Baker presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the thanks of this Great Council are due and are hereby tendered to the Tribes and brothers of the City of Lancaster, for the many acts of kindness and courtesy shown us during our sojourn among them, and for their successful efforts to make our visit pleasant and agreeable; and especially are our thanks due to those ladies who so bountifully supplied us with cool refreshing water along the line of parade.

Rep. Kelty presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the next annual session of this Great Council be held in the hunting grounds of Cussawago Tribe, No. 163, at Titusville, Crawford County.

By request of G. J. S. Ziegler, permission was given the appellant in the case of Leidbach *vs.* Conewago Tribe, No. 37, to appeal to the Great Council of the United States.

G. K. of W. Pierce asked that Powhatan Tribe, No. 48, be allowed to appeal to the G. C. of U. S. in the case of Pennapacker *vs.* said Tribe.

On motion, permission was given, provided that Powhatan Tribe, No. 48, first complies with the command of this Great Council.

The Council fire was quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

Certificates for the following were received, examined, and found correct—the Past Sachems not presenting themselves for admission:—

Charles Sands,	No.	1	Joseph P. Yarnall,	No.	86
George Hyde,	"	4	Chas. H. Iseminger,	"	87
John Held,	"	5	Wm. D. Lewis,	"	90
Thomas W. Ford,	"	8	Abraham Steese,	"	91
Smith Swords,	"	11	Wm. Ross,	"	92
Samuel C. Foust,	"	13	Edward A. Rawlins,	"	94
Wm. C. Smith,	"	17	C. C. Brosius,	"	97
R. M. Trout,	"	17	D. J. Kauffman,	"	99
John H. Batteaux,	"	18	John Lynch,	"	100
Thomas J. Rice,	"	18	L. C. Rhea,	"	101
Wm. Evans,	"	19	John W. Carle,	"	103
Alfred Shur,	"	20	Sandford Lasor,	"	104
Henry Shaeffer,	"	26	Washington H. Smith,	"	105
Wm. H. McQuillan,	"	27	Simon Smith,	"	106
Arthur Bacon,	"	30	James Bevan,	"	107
John Gardner,	"	32	Benj. T. Walton,	"	110
Charles H. Newell,	"	34	George W. Mathes,	"	116
Washington Gandey,	"	38	John N. Glanding,	"	118
Wm. Hughes,	"	41	J. P. Hause,	"	121
David R. Williams,	"	48	David Greenwald,	"	122
Charles B. Green,	"	49	Thomas Duncan,	"	123
Wm. Boyd,	"	50	W. H. Coleman,	"	124
Mathew Patton,	"	51	Wm. T. Potts,	"	127
Wm. Keller,	"	52	Martin Frey,	"	128
John Royle,	"	53	C. R. Snyder,	"	129
Wm. C. Rugg,	"	54	J. W. Easton,	"	130
John Hutchinson,	"	56	Oliver M. Blair,	"	131
John Schieper,	"	57	George M. Saylor,	"	133
Henry Gotschalk,	"	57	Edward Miller,	"	135
Wm. Dierolf,	"	59	John K. Karch,	"	136
August Danges,	"	60	George Janes,	"	141
Richard Mills,	"	62	Edward Morgan,	"	143
Emil Henk,	"	64	Joseph B. Winmill,	"	145
John S. Henry,	"	65	J. F. Woods,	"	150
Daniel Printz,	"	67	Evans J. Griffiths,	"	151
L. Frank Wattson,	"	68	H. L. Pettit,	"	151
John Hoover,	"	70	David M. Evans,	"	152
W. H. Fike,	"	71	John Peterman,	"	153
Philip Y. Sweinhart,	"	75	Reese J. Thomas,	"	155
Wm. T. Cunningham,	"	76	John N. Evans,	"	156
James E. Clark,	"	77	Wm. R. Eastman,	"	157
W. A. Hagy,	"	79	Clement A. White,	"	158
John Jackson,	"	81	Charles D. Lefferts,	"	160
George E. Keubler,	"	82	Jacob Aarons,	"	163
Samuel G. Edinger,	"	84	A. H. Raven, D. C.	"	1
Christian Eberhard,	"	85			

RECEIPTS FROM BOOKS, CARDS, &c.

FURNISHED TO TRIBES.

No.	*fa.*	*ft.*	*in.*
4		1	5
5		3	0
8		4	5
11		5	0
19		3	0
27		4	5
33	5	7	5
48		1	5
52	5	0	0
53	3	0	0
64	3	0	0
66	4	5	0
71	1	2	5
75	3	0	0
79	1	5	0
86	1	5	0
90	5	0	0
91	5	0	0
92	1	0	0
104		9	0
113	1	8	0
115	2	7	0
121		7	0
126		1	5
144		1	5
145	2	5	0
149		7	5
153	1	5	0
154	1	5	0
162		9	0
166	2	5	2
167	5	2	5
168	2	2	5
	65	3	7

DISPENSATION FEES RECEIVED.

G. S. James A. Moss	88	0	0
G. S. S. John Rebman	6	5	0
D. G. S. M. J. Thomas	15	0	0
" W. H. R. Kelty	34	0	0
" H. A. Plance	5	0	0
" C. W. Mathues	3	0	0
" W. W. Upp	10	0	0
" J. E. Valentine	6	0	0
" James B. Ziegler	15	5	0
	183	0	0

ELECTION RETURNS FOR GREAT CHIEFS AND REPRESENTATIVE TO THE GREAT COUNCIL OF THE UNITED STATES.

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		John Rebman.	J. W. Clymer.	James B. Ziegler.	James A. Moss.	Andrew J. Baker.	C. C. Conley.	E. F. Stewart.	Lewis C. Pierce.	T. A. Winkworth.	Samuel Wright.	E. F. Stewart.	John C. Young.	Samuel B. Taylor.	John Beamish.	O. Heckman.	I. W. Bisbing.	Wm. L. Zane.	M. J. Thomas.	Benj. Franklin.	John J. Pierson.
Tecumseh	1	6	6	6	6	3	1	2	6	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Metamora	2	23	23	23	23	1	22	..	23	..	..	..	..	23	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Leni Lenape	3	4	4	4	4	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Kuquenaku	4	8	8	8	7	6	1	1	7	1	..	..	7	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pocahontas	5	29	29	29	29	26	3	..	25	4	1	10	8	4	..	4	1	1	..	..	..
Wyoming	7	21	21	21	21	21	..	..	9	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	21	..	..	..	..
Shawnese	8	13	13	13	13	1	4	8	1	12	..	8	5	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Osceola	11	4	4	4	4	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Susquehanna	12	5	5	5	5	..	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Perkiomen	13	4	4	4	4	..	4	..	..	4	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mohawk	14	9	9	9	9	2	7	..	9	..	..	..	1	7	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Pontiac	15	9	9	9	9	1	8	..	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	..	..	..	..	..
Chattahoochee	17	12	12	12	7	2	..	10	9	3	1	4	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pequod	18	25	25	25	25	21	3	1	18	7	..	3	22	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	..
Cherokee	19	22	22	22	22	18	4	..	16	6	6	..	15	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pawnee	20	4	4	4	2	1	3	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..
Eeshahkonee	22	24	24	24	24	16	7	1	20	2	..	1	11	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Black Hawk	26	9	9	9	9	9	..	..	9	..	6	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
Mohegan	27	19	18	19	19	1	1	17	18	1	1	15	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Conestoga	28	6	6	6	6	6	..	..	6	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tuscarora	29	12	12	12	12	9	3	..	12	..	..	..	5	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Seminole	30	6	6	6	6	5	1	..	5	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..
Cayugas	31	15	15	15	15	15	..	..	15	..	..	..	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wissahickon	32	8	8	8	8	1	7	..	8	..	..	1	4	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Wingohocking	33	10	10	10	10	1	..	9	1	9	..	7	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Moscosco	34	3	3	3	3	..	3	..	2	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Winnebago	35	4	4	4	4	4	..	..	3	1	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Conewago	37	20	20	20	20	20	..	..	20	..	..	3	17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sagoyewatha	38	8	8	8	8	..	6	2	8	..	..	..	8	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Chiquesalungo	39	9	9	9	9	2	3	4	9	..	1	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Seneca	41	5	4	3	4	..	5	1	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..

Iroquois	42	3	3	3	3	2	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Narraganset	43	4	4	4	4	3	1	..	4	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Red Jacket	44	14	14	14	14	10	4	..	14	..	..	..	10	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Miantonomo	45	4	4	4	4	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Uppowoc	47	10	10	10	10	10	..	..	6	4	..	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Powhatan	48	9	9	9	9	..	9	..	9	..	..	..	1	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Coaquanock	49	14	14	14	14	12	1	1	12	..	..	5	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Miquon	50	13	12	13	13	9	2	2	12	1	..	..	12	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Chippewa	51	17	17	16	13	..	16	1	13	4	2	3	..	7	3	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
Camanchee	52	10	10	10	10	8	1	..	10	..	..	1	4	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Washita	53	10	10	10	9	3	7	..	9	1	..	..	2	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wyalusing	56	8	8	8	8	4	1	3	8	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Allegheny	57	9	9	9	9	9	..	..	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	..	..	..	..	..
Allequippa	58	4	4	4	4	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..
Otsego	59	5	5	5	5	4	1	..	5	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Kickenapawling	60	7	7	7	7	4	..	3	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cornplanter	61	8	8	8	8	6	2	..	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..
Beaver	62	5	5	5	5	..	5	..	5	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wawatam	63	9	9	9	9	9	..	..	7	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ottowa	64	9	9	9	9	8	1	..	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kiskiminitas	66	4	5	5	5	5	..	..	4	1	..	3	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ongpatonga	67	5	5	5	5	4	1	..	5	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Arrapahoe	68	7	7	7	7	..	7	..	7	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Shohomokin	69	5	5	5	5	5	..	..	5	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Penobscot	70	10	10	10	10	8	..	2	9	1	..	1	5	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mattawanna	71	6	6	6	6	6	..	..	6	..	..	1	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Tonnaluka	72	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
Idaho	73	6	6	6	4	5	1	..	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Juniata	74	4	4	4	..	..	4	..	4	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..
Winona	75	5	5	5	5	5	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nevada	76	9	9	9	9	..	8	1	9	..	..	..	7	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mahoning	77	5	5	5	5	4	1	..	5	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Codorus	78	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Minnewa	79	4	4	4	4	..	2	2	3	1	..	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Swatara	80	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..
Tonnawanda	81	4	4	4	3	..	4	..	..	4	3	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Miami	82	3	3	3	3	1	1	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..
Onondaga	83	5	5	5	5	1	4	..	1	4	..	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Saranac	84	4	4	4	4	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..
Tamany	85	5	5	5	5	5	..	..	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lenni	86	5	5	5	5	..	5	..	..	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sioux	87	6	6	6	6	6	..	..	5	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..
Kittatinny	88	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waunepewink	89	6	6	6	..	6	..	..	..	6	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

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Kickapoo	90	6	6	6	6	..	6	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..
Octoraro	91	3	3	3	3	3	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wopwollopen	92	4	4	4	4	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Conewingo	93	7	7	7	7	6	..	..	6	1	..	4	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Honayawus	94	5	5	5	5	5	..	..	5	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Juskakaka	96	3	3	3	3	2	1	..	3	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Malaeska	97	3	3	3	3	3	..	..	..	3	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Standing Stone	99	4	4	4	4	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Yo Semite	100	3	3	3	3	3	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Uncas	101	4	4	4	4	4	..	..	3	1	1	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bald Eagle	102	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Youghiogheny	103	1	1	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Absaraka	104	4	4	4	4	..	4	..	4	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Navajo	105	2	2	2	2	..	2	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Chingachqook	106	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Saukie	107	6	6	6	6	..	6	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..
Conodogwinit	108	3	3	3	3	1	2	..	3	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Red Warrior	109	4	4	4	4	..	4	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lackawana	110	2	2	2	2	..	2	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Minnehaha	111	4	4	4	3	1	2	1	2	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
Nemocalling	112	4	4	4	4	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Osage	113	3	3	3	3	2	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
Chickasaw	114	3	3	3	3	..	3	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
Quoekelinik	116	3	3	3	3	3	..	..	3	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Teedyuscung	117	3	3	3	3	1	2	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..
Manaiung	118	4	4	4	4	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wahoo	119	3	3	3	3	3	..	..	3	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Catawissa	121	3	3	3	3	3	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Opekasset	122	4	4	4	4	2	2	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	2
Wampanoag	123	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
Mingo	124	2	2	2	2	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Manitobah	125	3	3	3	3	2	1	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..
Cohocksink	126	3	3	3	3	1	2	..	3	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mohican	127	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Maconaquah	128	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..
Catoctin	129	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Minnequa	130	4	4	4	4	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sawquehanna	131	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nescopec	132	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..
Wissinoming	133	4	4	4	4	..	4	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Weccacoe	135	2	2	2	2	..	2	..	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Quittapahilla	136	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Venango	137	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Shakahappo	138	3	3	3	3	3	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..
Passyunk	139	4	4	4	4	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nay Aug	140	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..
Accomac	142	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Monongahela	143	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Massasoit	144	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Poutaxet	145	4	4	4	4	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
P'Sskemuquohiki	146	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
French Creek	147	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Shickalamy	148	2	2	2	2	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..
Mocaponaca	149	4	4	4	4	3	1	..	1	3	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Red Cloud	150	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mahanoy	151	1	1	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Chillisquaqua	152	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wawenoc	153	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lappawinzoe	154	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Shenandoah	155	1	1	1	2	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..
Mahontonga	156	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..
Alletah	157	2	2	2	2	..	2	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Aqushicola	159	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cussawago	163	2	3	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lecha	166	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
		820	818	818	794	502	245	74	689	126	41	149	280	145	21	59	41	14	37	19	11

TRIBES.	No.	Amount of receipts.	Expended for relief of brothers.	Expended for funeral benefits.	Expended for other purposes.	Tax paid Great Council.	Number of members.	Past Sachems.	Adopted.	Rejected.	Suspended.	Expelled.	Reinstated.	Admitted by card	Withdrawn by card.	Deceased.
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Tecumseh	1	276 5 5	58 0 0	....	181 1 8	16 4 8	131	10	24	..	2	..	1	1	..	..
Metamora	2	305 6 1	153 0 0	226 7 5	62 7 2	17 4 9	203	31	5	2	4	..	..	..	..	..
Leni Lenape	3	720 6 9	241 0 0	....	416 0 0	29 2 8	316	5	16	1	21	..	..	1	1	1
Kuquenaku	4	89 0 0	....	....	56 2 5	5 6 1	67	15	1	..	9	..	1	..	..	..
Pocahontas	5	1112 2 1	208 0 0	50 0 0	765 6 5	26 4 4	318	44	4	..	1	..	..	..	2	..
Wyoming	7	218 3 0	25 0 0	....	53 8 0	9 2 5	100	23	5	..	..	..	7	1	..	..
Shawnese	8	158 3 7	112 0 0	40 0 0	43 1 5	8 4 8	106	26	..	..	9	..	..	..	1	1
Osceola	11	87 2 5	....	....	88 4 2	5 6 4	33	4	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Susquehanna	12	525 0 0	138 5 0	....	73 5 5	12 8 1	132	5	9	..	13	..	..	..	1	..
Perkiomen	13	224 0 5	63 0 0	....	61 4 5	10 4 0	105	8	8	..	3	..	2	..	1	..
Mohawk	14	181 0 2	84 0 0	50 0 0	107 0 5	11 1 7	124	23	4	..	3	1	..	..	..	1
Pontiac	15	2220 6 5	80 0 0	150 0 0	385 8 8	13 6 1	167	17	1	..	8	1	1	..	1	1
Chattahoochee	17	72 9 6	13 5 0	....	37 6 7	3 3 6	42	17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pequod	18	785 8 6	559 0 0	....	310 5 8	33 2 5	400	36	5	1	..	..	2	..	..	..
Cherokee	19	688 0 5	168 0 0	75 0 0	414 8 5	12 7 0	140	28	6	..	8	..	..	..	..	1
Pawnee	20	126 2 2	35 0 0	....	55 9 5	9 8 7	89	8	11	..	..	..	2	..	6	..
Montezuma	21	70 1 5	....	....	73 5 9	3 7 7	19	2	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Eeshahkonee	22	542 4 0	146 0 0	205 2 5	141 2 8	22 6 2	264	40	6	..	..	..	3	..	..	3
Black Hawk	26	271 2 3	71 0 0	25 0 0	68 4 0	10 1 7	124	22	1	..	4	..	1	..	..	..
Mohegan	27	348 3 4	105 0 0	....	170 8 8	15 0 3	166	25	7	..	6	..	1	..	1	..
Conestoga	28	....	29 0 0	25 0 0	101 3 6	6 1 6	77	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
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Seminole	30	193 3 1	107 0 0	....	144 6 5	10 8 0	135	19	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cayugas	31	208 4 5	17 7 5	30 0 0	171 8 0	10 1 2	114	20	4	..	4	..	1	..	6	..
Wissahickon	32	212 5 8	60 0 0	....	133 5 4	7 6 3	86	18	3	..	3	..	2	..	..	..
Wingohocking	33	675 0 3	331 0 0	....	562 7 3	26 0 3	291	17	11	..	12	..	..	1	..	..
Moscosco	34	424 2 9	....	....	343 2 0	13 8 9	158	5	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Winnebago	35	148 0 2	40 0 0	....	95 7 5	6 1 2	64	8	4	..	10	..	1	..	1	..
Conewago	37	613 5 5	193 5 0	20 0 0	163 0 3	18 5 0	225	30	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sagoyewatha	38	238 9 8	145 0 0	....	87 2 5	12 4 3	146	12	3	..	9	..	..	..	1	..
Chiquesalungo	39	385 2 2	133 0 0	136 2 5	109 9 7	12 5 8	126	15	10	2	4	..	1	..	..	1
Oniska	40	67 5 0	....	....	60 7 6	3 8 4	23	2	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Seneca	41	172 6 5	25 0 0	20 0 0	193 3 7	11 3 6	142	18	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	1
Iroquois	42	95 3 8	....	....	....	5 5 3	66	16	1	..	7	..	1	..	..	..
Narraganset	43	172 4 9	53 0 0	100 0 0	54 4 3	8 9 2	99	18	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
Red Jacket	44	386 8 3	213 0 0	176 6 5	76 3 5	14 4 2	174	26	2	..	3	..	..	..	..	..
Miantonomo	45	138 5 8	....	....	104 4 5	9 0 0	100	6	4	..	7	..	..	..	..	..

Uppowoc	47	82	9	2	30	0	0	....	36	5	1	4	9	7	59	19	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Powhatan	48	309	7	0	213	0	0	75 0 0	671	8	0	12	2	5	150	22	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	2
Coaquanock	49	268	0	2	188	0	0	....	70	6	0	10	0	3	116	20	3	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Miquon	50	121	6	4	24	0	0	30 0 0	101	2	9	6	2	4	78	20	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..
Chippewa	51	198	2	7	139	0	0	75 0 0	102	7	6	11	6	1	142	23	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
Camanchee	52	333	1	2	198	0	0	60 0 0	44	7	2	11	3	0	135	15	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Washita	53	1340	3	3	107	0	0	30 0 0	1137	0	5	22	4	3	221	20	19	3	4	..	1	..	..	..
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Allequippa	58	323	0	2	78	0	0	....	57	6	0	4	5	7	51	5	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Otsego	59	104	7	5	65	0	0	....	40	7	7	7	9	4	93	11	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kickenapawling	60	233	4	6	2	8	0	....	76	7	8	7	7	7	91	10	1	1	3	..	..	..	2	..
Cornplanter	61	267	6	4	155	5	0	....	129	3	5	9	9	7	108	11	5	..	2	..	..	1	..	1
Beaver	62	245	5	0	28	0	0	....	118	5	1	16	9	8	156	8	18	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
Wawatam	63	271	7	9	137	5	0	25 0 0	76	9	8	6	9	9	78	11	3	..	1	..	1	..	..	..
Ottowa	61	471	2	3	107	0	0	117 0 0	270	8	3	11	6	6	152	12	4	..	4	..	..	..	2	1
Kishacaquillas	65	40	7	6	....			....	55	9	1	2	9	6	37	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kiskiminitas	66	378	0	6	73	0	0	25 0 0	166	5	9	10	4	4	118	7	4	..	..	1	1	1	1	..
Ongpatonga	67	129	4	0	60	0	0	....	97	5	4	7	9	4	93	8	2	..	3	..	..	..	..	..
Arrapahoe	68	245	9	1	35	0	0	....	94	2	2	6	9	8	81	11	2	..	2	..	1	3	..	..
Shohomokin	69	136	4	6	30	0	0	....	140	9	0	5	9	3	71	5	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Penobscot	70	231	2	0	137	0	0	....	62	2	1	12	9	5	140	12	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mattawanna	71	134	9	6	....			....	120	2	0	4	8	2	54	9	2	..	2	..	1	..	1	..
Tonnaluka	72	103	5	5	....			....	122	1	5	5	2	4	53	6	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Idaho	73	658	8	1	213	0	0	50 0 0	110	5	6	19	3	5	220	7	7	..	7	..	..	..	..	1
Juniata	74	220	4	7	85	0	0	100 0 0	93	2	5	7	5	5	85	6	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Winona	75	213	6	5	32	0	0	....	352	6	6	17	4	8	131	6	28	2	2	..	..	..	..	..
Nevada	76	398	1	0	134	0	0	35 0 0	190	5	4	21	5	3	211	12	9	..	4	..	1	..	..	..
Mahoning	77	292	3	9	74	0	0	....	134	6	9	11	9	1	127	9	7	1	3	..	..	..	..	..
Codorus	78	83	2	1	70	5	0	60 0 0	58	0	0	5	5	3	66	6	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
Minnewa	79	187	8	3	78	0	0	....	121	0	0	11	7	1	112	6	11	1	..	..	1	..	1	..
Swatara	80	37	7	0	....			....	25	0	0	2	7	2	34	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tonnawanda	81	292	2	1	....			....	455	5	5	6	0	1	72	9	1	..	3	..	..	..	1	..
Miami	82	93	0	0	54	0	0	....	29	1	5	4	6	5	55	7	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Onondaga	83	161	6	2	72	0	0	....	73	1	5	6	2	4	53	7	8	1	1	..	1	..	..	..
Saranac	84	165	9	6	170	0	0	....	362	9	5	9	6	9	118	8	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tamany	85	38	9	0	22	0	0	....	26	1	0	2	2	5	26	5	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Lenni	86	299	7	0	43	0	0	....	56	7	0	9	6	1	117	5	1	1	1	..	1	..	1	..
Sioux	87	645	9	1	319	0	0	60 0 0	147	6	8	26	7	6	297	8	12	..	14	..	..	..	..	4
Kittatinny	88	41	9	0	4	0	0	....	44	9	3	5	4	0	28	5	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waunepewink	89	54	9	5	3	5	0	....	68	0	5	5	2	1	62	7	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Kickapoo	90	97	5	8	24	0	0	....	46	2	5	4	8	0	60	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Octoraro	91	373	8	9	171	7	5	100 0 0	152	9	0	15	0	9	148	7	13	1	5	..	..	..	..	1
Wopwollopen	92	178	0	8	35	0	0	68 0 0	34	1	1	8	5	1	97	6	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Conewingo	93	413	8	0	141	0	0	60 0 0	80	2	5	12	6	1	142	8	5	..	3	..	..	..	..	2

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Honayawus	94	129 9 0	30 5 0	35 0 0	44 9 1	4 2 4	53	5	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	1
Otzinachson	95	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Juskakaka	96	113 7 5	4 0 0	....	51 4 1	7 0 8	51	7	12	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Malaeska	97	29 1 0	....	....	19 8 5	1 8 5	20	5	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Alpharetta	98	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Standing Stone	99	113 6 4	94 4 5	....	....	5 6 7	64	6	3	..	..	..	..	..	6	..
Yo Semite	100	170 6 6	3 5 0	....	34 3 5	5 1 2	64	5	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..
Uncas	101	41 5 9	4 0 0	....	6 5 0	4 2 5	50	6	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bald Eagle	102	77 7 0	8 0 0	....	92 3 8	6 2 0	65	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Youghiogheny	103	238 0 2	55 0 0	....	101 3 5	8 5 6	82	5	8	..	5	..	..	..	1	..
Absaraka	104	582 7 0	213 0 0	75 0 0	75 2 8	11 3 1	132	6	3	..	4	..	..	..	..	1
Navajo	105	60 3 4	40 0 0	....	43 1 6	4 1 6	52	4	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..
Chingachqook	106	268 5 0	179 0 0	....	....	10 9 4	93	2	14	1	..	..	..	..	10	..
Saukie	107	190 7 5	4 0 0	....	122 2 0	12 0 0	150	6	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Conodogwinit	108	127 5 3	....	....	129 0 1	7 2 4	78	5	4	..	..	..	1	..	2	1
Red Warrior	109	139 4 5	70 5 0	....	149 4 7	7 1 4	83	5	2	..	5	..	..	..	1	..
Lackawaha	110	213 0 1	....	....	158 8 6	6 3 6	67	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Minnehaha	111	250 8 0	....	....	....	8 6 6	77	5	10	4	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nemocalling	112	149 3 8	10 0 0	....	....	4 9 0	55	5	2	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Osage	113	300 4 0	53 0 0	30 0 0	128 1 5	8 7 4	103	4	2	..	38	..	..	..	1	..
Chickasaw	114	120 8 5	16 0 0	....	70 8 5	6 7 5	75	5	3	..	1	..	..	1	..	1
Itah	115	190 4 3	....	45 0 0	86 3 7	11 0 2	69	2	22	..	17	..	..	1	4	..
Quoekelinik	116	327 7 5	82 0 0	....	251 5 9	10 9 5	115	5	7	..	6	..	..	..	..	..
Teedyuscung	117	120 4 0	76 0 0	....	36 5 4	4 9 6	62	5	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Manaiung	118	202 8 5	162 0 0	....	114 0 5	12 0 6	132	6	6	..	3	..	..	..	..	1
Wahoo	119	120 7 5	131 0 0	....	80 4 5	5 5 0	65	4	1	..	8	..	..	..	..	1
Kiowas	120	94 2 5	20 0 0	....	88 3 0	5 8 8	61	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Catawissa	121	97 8 9	4 0 0	....	55 9 0	4 9 2	49	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Opekasset	122	88 6 2	17 7 5	....	82 7 2	5 6 2	64	5	2	..	7	..	..	..	..	..
Wampanoag	123	70 6 5	8 0 0	....	52 8 5	3 8 5	45	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mingo	124	21 9 5	....	....	13 5 5	2 8 0	35	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Manitobah	125	75 9 0	....	....	....	3 6 3	36	4	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Cohocksink	126	153 9 0	63 0 0	....	39 3 8	5 2 1	62	4	1	..	5	..	4	..	..	..
Mohican	127	339 8 1	24 0 0	....	90 9 6	12 3 7	114	2	13	3	1	..	..	..	..	..
Maconaquah	128	112 7 5	....	....	136 0 6	4 7 3	56	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Catoctin	129	126 2 0	....	....	55 7 9	6 0 6	68	4	6	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Minnequa	130	53 0 3	....	....	28 8 8	3 8 6	42	4	2	1	3	..	..	..	1	..

Sawquehanna	131	21 7 5	....	....	52 6 0	2 7 2	34	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Nescopec	132	304 3 0	94 7 5	60 0 0	128 2 7	15 3 5	170	3	7	..	27	..	3	..	..	2
Wissonoming	133	81 3 1	54 0 0	....	77 5 5	6 1 7	73	5	1	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Yemassee	134	....	.. . .	.. . .	.. . .	.. . .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Weccacoe	135	99 0 0	62 9 0	....	40 2 5	4 2 6	47	3	2	..	6	..	..	..	..	..
Quittapahilla	136	92 0 0	....	....	66 9 0	5 7 1	56	3	5	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Venango	137	150 1 5	70 0 0	....	277 5 3	6 7 5	75	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	..
Shakahappo	138	199 5 4	86 3 7	....	61 5 3	11 6 2	89	3	18	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Passyunk	139	785 5 6	77 0 0	....	277 7 4	35 6 8	346	4	32	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Nay Aug	140	342 9 0	32 0 0	....	124 3 8	12 4 3	121	4	11	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Panooka	141	289 6 9	12 0 0	....	213 7 7	8 7 9	88	1	7	2	3	..	..	..	..	1
Accomac	142	235 2 7	55 0 0	....	85 6 8	7 2 2	59	3	10	..	1	..	..	..	1	..
Monongahela	143	145 6 4	....	30 0 0	110 0 5	5 0 4	63	2	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	1
Massasoit	144	249 2 7	....	....	90 6 7	13 0 9	98	2	21	..	5	..	1	..	..	1
Poutaxet	145	357 5 5	30 0 0	....	120 4 9	24 3 4	123	6	58	1	3	..	..	..	..	2
P'Sskemuquohiki	146	84 3 7	....	....	167 9 5	5 1 3	61	3	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
French Creek	147	280 0 1	14 0 0	....	218 5 5	10 5 0	125	3	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
Shickalamy	148	253 0 7	....	....	250 9 9	10 1 8	121	3	2	2	..	1	..	1	..	1
Mocaponaca	149	157 5 0	....	....	65 8 7	9 9 8	81	5	14	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Red Cloud	150	66 3 4	....	....	....	4 1 9	46	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mahanoy	151	702 9 5	248 5 0	175 0 0	202 9 5	19 8 7	229	2	6	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Chillisquaqua	152	357 0 4	....	....	348 1 0	6 0 9	48	2	9	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wawenoc	153	227 1 2	....	....	244 6 6	3 6 5	30	3	5	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Lappawinzoe	154	115 1 1	....	....	78 6 1	5 2 8	41	3	8	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Shenandoah	155	600 1 5	....	....	429 0 0	28 3 4	223	2	42	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mahontongo	156	172 6 0	10 0 0	....	121 8 5	6 8 2	54	2	10	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Alletah	157	119 9 0	....	....	93 3 7	7 8 6	42	2	18	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Aquashicola	158	120 7 0	....	....	79 6 1	4 5 6	32	2	8	1	..	..	..	..	2	..
Ockohocking	159	576 2 4	....	....	350 5 5	17 4 7	84	3	43	4	..	..	..	1	..	..
Neasham	160	45 4 5	....	....	....	2 9 1	27	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Arrasapha	161	372 2 6	....	....	294 2 6	9 7 6	47	2	24	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Champiola	162	184 4 5	....	30 0 0	372 0 8	7 0 4	38	2	16	3	..	..	..	..	..	1
Cussawago	163	472 3 1	....	....	467 5 3	13 7 9	63	3	35	11	..	..	1	..	..	..
Hodenausonee	164	271 0 5	....	....	217 8 5	5 1 5	30	2	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wannetta	165	236 3 0	....	....	158 3 5	7 3 1	32	1	19	..	..	..	..	13	..	..
Lecha	166	381 5 0	....	....	294 4 0	7 2 5	34	1	29	..	..	..	..	6	..	1
Ganeodiyo	167	405 9 1	....	....	368 2 2	15 2 5	61	..	61	5	..	..	..	1	1	1
Tinicum	168	172 6 0	....	....	69 8 9	4 7 5	20	..	19	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Washtella	169	59 7 5	....	....	50 0 0	2 0 0	14	..	8	..	..	..	..	6	..	..
Poho Poco	171	148 0 0	....	....	114 5 5	5 2 5	27	..	21	..	..	..	..	6	..	..
Wawaset	172	....	....	....	....	5 0 0	26	..	20	..	..	..	..	6	..	..
Leni Lenape D. C.	1	81 4 5	25 0 0	....	21 7 5	2 3 2	29	..	1	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Algonquin D. C.	2	48 7 5	60 0 0	....	11 7 5	1 7 6	22	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pocahontas D. C.	3	83 1 9	24 0 0	....	13 0 5	3 8 4	48	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
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Tecumseh	1	Thursday	Norristown	Cor. Main and Cherry Sts., Norristown	John H. Hartzell	Norristown.
Metamora	2	Wednesday	Lancaster	Fulton Hall, Prince Street	John M. Kempf	Lancaster, No. 21 N. Mary St.
Leni Lenape	3	Friday	Philadelphia	Corner Second and Susquehanna Avenue	Isaac A. Davis	2057 Germantown Avenue.
Kuquenaku	4	Thursday	"	Wm. Penn Hose House, Frankford Road	Gotlieb Ubele	905 North Third Street.
*Pocahontas	5	Thursday	"	N. W. cor. Fourth and Walnut Sts	Fr. Aug. Buchman	610 Hallowell Street.
Wyoming	7	Wednesday	"	" " "	Jacob L. Reiff	1803 South Fourth Street.
Shawnese	8	Friday	"	" " "	C. A. Winkworth	1237 Market Street.
Osceola	11	Thursday	Columbia	Locust Street above Front	Peter A. Krodel	Columbia.
Susquehanna	12	Friday	Harrisburg	No. 304 North Second Street	T. P. Montgomery	7 S. Third St., Harrisburg.
Perkiomen	13	Thursday	Phœnixville	Corner of Main and Hall	E. K. Ramsey	Phoenixville, Box 254.
*Mohawk	14	Friday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	John H. Passau	1333 Prospect Street.
*Pontiac	15	Wednesday	Pittsburg	No. 67 Fifth Avenue	Oswald Heckmann	Box 546.
Chattahoochee	17	Wednesday	Philadelphia	Assistance Hall, Sixth and Coates Sts	J. B. Flemming	1206 North Front Street.
Pequod	18	Thursday	"	Mechanics' Hall, 6th and Germantown Av.	Thomas J. Rice	2533 Lee Street.
Cherokee	19	Thursday	"	No. 1133 Parrish Street	Joseph P. Young	2317 Ridge Avenue.
Pawnee	20	Tuesday	"	605 Arch Street	George Bertram	2130 Summer Street.
Montezuma	21	Friday	"	Corner of Twelfth and Montgomery Av	Wm. C. Stewart	1731 North Tenth Street.
Eeshahkonee	22	Monday	Lancaster	Fulton Hall, Prince Street	Peter C. Hensel	E. King St., Lancaster.
Black Hawk	26	Tuesday	Philadelphia	Norris and Sepviva Streets	Robert H. Kinkead	Rear 88 Laurel Street.
Mohegan	27	Monday	"	N. W. cor. Eighth and Spring Garden Sts	E. F. Stewart	1546 N. Thirteenth Street.
Conestoga	28	Tuesday	Williamsport	Morse's Hall	Geo. W. Klump	Williamsport, Box 1193.
Tuscarora	29	Monday	Chester	Penn Building, cor. Third and Market Sts.	Wm. Kelly	Chester, Del. Co. Box 253.
Seminole	30	Tuesday	Germantown	Stokes Hall, Mill St	Francis Rodbard	118 Haines Street.
Cayugas	31	Friday	Gettysburg	McConaughy's Hall	Wm. B. Meals	Gettysburg.
Wissahickon	32	Tuesday	Philadelphia	No. 1530 Ridge Avenue	Samuel L. Stem	1545 Ridge Avenue.
Wiugohocking	33	Friday	Frankford	Odd Fellows' Hall	George Burns	16,Green Street.
Moscosco	34	Friday	Philadelphia	Corner Thirty-Seventh and Market Sts	Henry Fite	3710 Warren Street.
Winnebago	35	Tuesday	Altoona	Shannon's Hall	S. F. Rupert	Altoona, Box 970.
Conewago	37	Wednesday	York	Washington Hall	John Hays	Box 213, York.
Sagoyewatha	38	Monday	Philadelphia	Girard Avenue and Charlotta Street	George M. Brooke	1207 Savery Street.
Chiquesalungo	39	Tuesday	Columbia	Odd Fellows' Hall	L. M. Williams	Columbia.
Oniska	40	Monday	East Berlin	....	C. Will. Baker	East Berlin, Adams County.
Seneca	41	Thursday	Pottsville	Town Hall	Joseph C. Holt	Pottsville, Box 437.
Iroquois	42	Monday	Patterson	....	Ben F. Kepner	Mifflintown, Juniata Co.
Narraganset	43	Friday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	R. S. Monroe	237 Girard Avenue.
*Red Jacket	44	Friday	Lancaster	Fulton Hall, Prince Street	Philip Keller	477 Lafayette Street.
Miantonomo	45	Wednesday	Philadelphia	Thirteenth and Girard Avenue	Geo. W. Kreamer	510 North Eleventh Street.
Uppowoc	47	Tuesday	West Chester	S. W. cor Gay and High Sts	Norris T. Smith	Box 350, West Chester.
Powhatan	48	Thursday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	John C. Moore	952 Lawrence Street
Coaquanock	49	Friday	"	Broadway Hall, Broad and Spring Garden.	Wm. H. Pool	1421 Barclay Street.
Miquon	50	Wednesday	"	Odd Fellows' Hall, Ridge Avenue & 23d St.	H. A. Dutill	1543 Camac Street.

Chippewa	51	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	Corner Tenth and South Streets	I. T. Akin	1015 Clement Street.
Camanchee	52	Monday	"	G. I. Eng. House, Allen ab. Frankford R'd.	Thomas D. Rulon	1500 Vienna Street.
Washita	53	Saturday	Conshohocken.	Stemple's Hall	John P. Armitage	Conshohocken, Box 47.
*Wyandotte	54	Friday	Oxford	Central Avenue and Locust Street	James Black	Oxford, Chester County.
Wyalusing	56	Friday	Philadelphia	Odd Fellows' Hall, Falls of Schuylkill	Thomas Leask	Falls of Schuylkill.
*Allegheny	57	Monday	Allegheny City.	N. E. cor. East and First Sts	Christian Haag	41 Perry Street.
Allequippa	58	Monday	Piltsburg	A. P. A. Hall, No. 52 Fifth Avenue	W. S. McDowell	Rear 109 Fourth Avenue.
Otsego	59	Friday	Mount Joy	....	Eli H. Shreiner	Mount Joy, Box 31.
*Kickenapawl'g.	60	Saturday	Johnstown	Clinton and R. R.	C. W. Dopp	Johnstown, Box 23.
*Cornplanter	61	Monday	Harrisburg	No. 304 North Second St.	Conrad Miller	River Alley near Pine St.
Beaver	62	Tuesday	Norristown	Thomas Hall, Main Street	Wm. Bate, Jr.	Norristown.
Wawatam	63	Thursday	Roxborough	Odd Fellows' Hall	Charles F. Hardick	Roxborough.
*Ottowa	64	Saturday	Birmingham	Druid's Hall, corner Carson and McKee	Wm. Wilhelm	Buchanan P. O., Box 295.
Kishacaquillas	65	Saturday	Conestoga C'r.	....	Benj. F. Hookey	Conestoga C'r, Lane. Co.
Kiskiminitas	66	Thursday	Johnstown	Clinton and R. R.		Johnstown, Box 484.
Ongpatonga	67	Friday	Lewistown	Dorcas and Water Streets	John Hamilton	Lewistown.
Arrapahoe	68	Thursday	Huntingdon	Red Men's Hall	A. B. Flood	Huntingdon.
Shohomokin	69	Thursday	Sunbury	....	Peter F. Hower	Sunbury.
Penobscot	70	Thursday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts.	Wm. W. Shepherd	925 Poplar Street.
Mattawana	71	Tuesday	McVeytown	....	E. B. Kauffman	McVeytown.
Tonnaluka	72	Wednesday.	Irwin Station	....	B. B. Copeland	Irwin Station, W. Co.
Idaho	73	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	Southwark Library Hall, 2d and German	Thomas Shannon	1721 South Fifth Street.
Juniata	74	Thursday	Reading	322 Penn Street	Wm. Maicks	314 Penn St., Reading.
Winona	75	Thursday	Pottstown	Market Hall	H. R. Bossert	Pottstown, Box 202.
Nevada	76	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	A. P. A. Hall, Frankford Road and Master.	John F. Little	45 North Second Street.
Mahoning	77	Thursday	Danville	Montgomery's Building, Mill St.	John C. Millhouse	Danville, Box 46.
*Codorus	78	Tuesday	York	Hartman's Building, Centre Square	Lorenz Marr	York, Box 265.
Minnewa	79	Tuesday	Philadelphia	Broad and Arch Streets	Harry Lang	821 Wood Street.
Swatara	80	Monday	N. Hamilton	....	James M. Graham	Newton Hamilton, M. C.
Tonnawanda	81	Wednesday.	Media	Corner of State and Orange Streets	Jorell L. Kelley	Media, Box 113.
Miami	82	Tuesday	Cressona	....	Amos Bartolet	Cressona.
Onondaga	83	Monday	Coatesville	Masonic Hall	L. H. Humphrey	Coatesville, Chester Co.
Saranac	84	Wednesday.	Easton	S. W. cor. Centre Square	James D Smith	Phillipsburg, N. J.
*Tamany	85	Wednesday.	Altoona	Shannon's Hall	George Bleiler	Altoona, Box 453.
Lenni	86	Thursday	Lima	....	John A. Litzenberg.	Lima, Delaware Co.
Sioux	87	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	Sixth and Christian Streets	Francis B. Black	203 Christian Street.
Kittatinny	88	Wednesday.	Marysville	....	Wm. W. Jackson	Marysville.
Wannepewink	89	Monday	Shrewsbury	....	Thomas T. Benton	Shrewsbury, Box 5.
Kickapoo	90	Wednesday.	Gordon	....	John R. James	Gordon.
Octoraro	91	Tuesday	Harrisburg	Corner of Second and State Streets	John R. Cockly	1035 Elder St., Harrisburg.
Wopwollopen	92	Wednesday.	Berwick	Odd Fellows' Hall	M. Thornton	Berwick.
Conewingo	93	Friday	York	Washington Hall	Thomas Ramsey	York, Box 181.
Honayawus	94	Tuesday	Bloomsburg	....	Henry Shipton	Bloomsburg.
Otzinachson	95	Monday	Lock Haven	....	Samuel Tresher	Lock Haven.
Juskakaka	96	Thursday	Duncannon	Odd Fellows' Hall	Philip F. Michener	Duncannon.

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Malaeska	97	Wednesday.	Clarion	....	T. B. Richard	Clarion.
Alpharetta	98	Thursday	Millerstown	....		Millerstown.
Standing Stone	99	Saturday	Mapleton	....	Albert M. Parker	Mapleton.
Yo Semite	100	Monday	Glen Rock	....	A. W. Gray	Glen Rock.
Uncas	101	Monday	Waynesboro	....	J. L. Weagly	Waynesboro'.
Bald Eagle	102	Thursday	Tyrone	....	John A. Boyer	Tyrone, Box 316.
Youghiogheny	103	Wednesday.	Birmingham	Druid's Hall	B. N. McCoy, Jr.	Buchanan P. O., Lock Box 12.
Absaraka	104	Tuesday	Philadelphia	Corner Thirty-Seventh and Market Sts.	John E. Buckley	4201 Eadline Street.
Navajo	105	Tuesday	Scranton	105 Lackawanna Avenue	Geo. M. Silsbee	Scranton, Lock Box 451.
Chingachqook	106	Monday	Mauch Chunk.	Odd Fellows' Hall.	Robert S. Calvin	Mauch Chunk.
Saukie	107	Friday	Ashland	Corner Third and Centre Streets	Thomas Giles	Ashland, Box 17.
Conodogwinit	108	Thursday	Carlisle	Volunteer Building, S. E. cor. Square	Thomas H. Ramsey.	Carlisle.
Red Warrior	109	Tuesday	Philipsburg	....	W. S. Starrett	Philipsburg, Box 162.
Lackawanna	110	Thursday	Plymouth	Smith's Opera House	E. D. Barthe	Plymouth.
Minnehaha	111	Tuesday	Brookville	....	L. S. Garrison	Brookville.
Nemocalling	112	Wednesday.	Brownsville	Head of Main Street	James M. Hucheson.	West Brownsville.
Osage	113	Thursday	Philadelphia	Kater Hall, Fifteenth and South Sts.	Alex. R. Stewart	713 South Sixteenth St.
Chickasaw	114	Thursday	Charlestown	....	Samuel W. Mood	Pickering P. O.
Itah	115	Friday	AlleghenyCity.	161 Federal Street	John C. Gasten	201 Penn St., Pittsburg.
Quockelinik	116	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	313 North Twentieth Street	Robert G. Stewart	2048 Reeves Street.
Teedyuscung	117	Thursday	Mount Bethel	....	J. F. Raub	Mount Bethel.
Manaiung	118	Friday	Manayunk,	A. M. Hall	Samuel Grow	309 Green Lane.
Wahoo	119	Tuesday	Kingston	....	P. A. Watt	Kingston.
Kiowas	120	Monday	Hazelton	Hazle Hall	A. T. Wenner	Hazleton, Box 128.
Catawissa	121	Monday	Catawissa	Corner of Second and Main Streets	Joseph Walter	Catáwissa.
*Opekasset	122	Saturday	Reading	Penn Street, between Seventh and Eighth.	Francis Habich	744 N. Eighth St., Reading.
Wampanoag	123	Friday	Audenried	....	S. D. Watkins	Audenried.
Mingo	124	Tuesday	Beavertown	....	Alfred Specht	Beavertown.
Manitobah	125	Wednesday.	Nazareth	....	J. J. Maus	Nazareth.
*Cohocksink	126	Thursday	Philadelphia	Fifth and Thompson Streets	And. Weingartner	1131 Galloway Street.
Mohican	127	Monday	Bristol	Corner of Mill and Pond Streets	Thos. B. Douglass	Bristol.
Maconaquah	128	Monday	Wilkesbarre	127 Market Street	J. E. Valentine	Wilkesbarre, Lock Box 89.
Catoctin	129	Monday	Littlestown	Brant's Hall	Hanson O. Harmer	Littlestown.
Minnequa	130	Thursday	Williamsport	Corner Arch and Elm Streets	C. L. Adams	Newberry P. O.
Sawquehanna	131	Thursday	Shippensburg	....	J. B. Reddig	Shippensburg.
Nescopec	132	Wednesday.	Laurel Run	....		
Wissinoming	133	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	Pennsylvania Avenue and Coates St.	Geo. S. Craighead	N. E. cor. 23d and Callowhill.
Yemassee	134	Monday	Ashland	N. W. cor. Third and Centre Streets		Ashland.
*Weccacoe	135	Friday	Philadelphia	Pine Street above Second	Her. E. Bitterlich	1323 Christian Street.
Quittapahilla	136	Thursday	Lebanon	Odd Fellows' Hall	Wm. G. Ward	Lebanon, Box 315.
Venango	137	Friday	Oil City	Odd Fellows' Hall	J. L. Dorsworth	Oil City, Box 104.
Shakahappo	138	Wednesday.	Frankford	Odd Fellows' Hall	Milton Frederick	4425 Paul Street.

Passyunk	139	Friday	Philadelphia	Southwark Library Hall, 2d and German	Latimer B. Bisbee	1206 Moyamensing Avenue.
*Nay Aug	140	Thursday	Scranton	105 Lackawanna Avenue	Matt. Schneider	Scranton, Box 530.
Panooka	141	Wednesday	Scranton	Co-operative Building, Hyde Park	Thomas Thomas	Hyde Park, Box 322.
Accomac	142	Saturday	Belle Vernon	....	Wm. Henry Jones	Belle Vernon, Box 59.
Monongahela	143	Thursday	Dravosburg	....	E. Hagen	Dravosburg.
Massasoit	144	Friday	Philadelphia	605 Arch Street	Horatio N. Walker	142½ South Fourth Street.
Poutaxet	145	Wednesday	"	Friendship Hall, Norris and Sepviva Sts	Harry Buscher	726 E. Norris Street.
P'Sskemuquohiki	146	Saturday	East Brady	....	John Wadge	Catfish.
French Creek	147	Wednesday	Franklin	....	A. F. Wenzell	Franklin.
Shickalamy	148	Friday	Shamokin	Odd Fellows' Hall	H. Floyd	Shamokin.
Mocaponaca	149	Wednesday	Chester	Corner Second and Kerlin Streets	B. F. Bucha	Chester, Box 477.
Red Cloud	150	Wednesday	Roxbury	....	S. Sentman	Roxbury.
Mahanoy	151	Monday	Mahanoy City	Corner Centre and Main Streets	James Mathias	Mahanoy City.
Chillisquaqua	152	Monday	Northumberl'd	....	D. M. Evans	Northumberland.
Wawenoe	153	Tuesday	Watsontown	....	Ambrose S. Lamm	Watsontown.
Lappawinzoe	154	Friday	Bethlehem	....	J. B. Kemerer	Bethlehem.
Shenandoah	155	Wednesday	Shenandoah	....	Wm. T. Richards	Box 85, Shenandoah.
Mahantongo	156	Monday	Mount Carmel	....	Mesach Watkins	Mount Carmel.
Alletah	157	Friday	Philadelphia	3512 Haverford Street	J. Newton Lytle	3517 Lancaster Avenue.
Aquashicola	158	Wednesday	Slatington	Mack's Hall	J. M. Roberts	Slatington.
Ockohocking	159	Monday	Newtown Sqr.	....	James J. Sproul	Newtown Square.
Neasham	160	Wednesday	Southamptonv.	....	Franklin S. Terry	Davisville.
Arrasapha	161	Thursday	Garrettford	....	James Lomas	Garrettford, Upper Darby.
Champiola	162	Wednesday	Blairsville	....	James B. Sansom	Indiana.
Cussawago	163	Friday	Titusville	Odd Fellows' Hall	E. A. Keene	Box 970, Titusville.
Hodenausonee	164	Wednesday	Dawson	....	John R. Dunham	Dawson.
Wannetta	165	Tuesday	Emlenton	....	James U. Ogden	Emlenton.
Lecha	166	Monday	E. M. Chunk	....	J. M. Driesbach	East Mauch Chunk.
Ganeodiyo	167	Friday	Erie	Presque Isle Hall, 508 State Street	Wm. M. Cole	Erie.
Tinicum	168	Saturday	Uhlertown	....	Wm. S. Major	Frenchtown, N. J.
Washtella	169	.....	Middletown	....	B. W. Riley	Bigler P. O.
Red Wing	170	Thursday	Middletown	....	George H. McNeal	Middletown, Box 44.
Poho Poco	171	Wednesday	Weissport	....	D. F. Rickert	Weissport.
Wawaset	172	Thursday	Linwood	....	J. F. Hendrickson	Linwood.
Tuckalula	173	Friday	Rouseville	....	John A. Austin	Rouseville.
Sankanac,	174	Wednesday	Uwchlan	....	M. Shaner Chrisman	West Vincent P. O.
Shenango	175	Wednesday	Meadville	K. of P. Hall	Henry McCoy	Meadville, Box 686.
Tohikon	176	Wednesday	Point Pleasant	Odd Fellows' Hall	Samuel Farrell	Point Pleasant.
Wesquenesque	177	Wednesday	Wiconisco	....	John J. Johns	Lykens.
Pokanoket	178	Friday	Narrowsville	....	Wm. T. Foust	Kintnersville.
Toughkenamon	179	Thursday	Avondale	....	John James	Avondale.
Leni Lenape D.C.	1	2d & 4th Tu.	Philadelphia	S. W. cor. Tenth and Filbert Sts	Wm. Alchin	1028 Ogden Street.
Algonquin D. C.	2	2d & 4th Th.	York	Washington Hall	John Hays	York.
Pocahontas D. C.	3	2d Thursday	Philadelphia	N. W. cor. Fourth and Walnut Sts	John H. Passau	1333 Prospect Street.
St. Tammany D.C.	4	2d & 4th Th.	Lancaster	Fulton Hall	H. W. Villee	244 South Queen Street.
Delaware, D. C.	5	1st & 2d Sat.	Easton	S. W. corner Centre Square	James D. Smith	Phillipsburg, N. J.

The Great Sachem has made the following appointments as

DEPUTY GREAT SACHEMS.

COUNTIES.	D. G. S.		POST OFFICE ADDRESS.
Adams,	John L. Holtzworth,	No. 31,	Gettysburg.
Berks and Lebanon,	O. B. Keller,	" 74,	Reading.
Blair and Centre,	John A. Boyer,	" 102,	Tyrone.
Bucks,	Wm. M. Holt,	" 127,	Bristol.
Cambria,	Edward C. Thomas,	" 60,	Johnstown.
Carbon and Lehigh,	Newton H. Bieber,	" 166,	East Mauch Chunk.
Chester,	Jesse Shallcross,	" 83,	Coatesville.
Clarion and Jefferson,	James T. Carroll,	" 111,	Brookville.
Columbia,	W. W. Barrett,	" 94,	Bloomsburg.
Cumberland,	Alfred D. Rebok,	" 131,	Middle Spring.
Dauphin,	John Shultz,	" 91,	Harrisburg.
Delaware,	Charles W. Mathues,	" 86,	
Fayette and Washington,	Thomas C. Gummert,	" 112,	Brownsville.
Franklin,	George F. Lidy,	" 101,	Waynesboro'.
Huntingdon,	A. B. Flood,	" 68,	Huntingdon.
Juniata, Mifflin, and Snyder,	W. H. McClellan,	" 71,	McVeytown.
Lancaster,	D. P. Rosenmiller, Jr.,	" 22,	Lancaster.
Luzerne,	J. E. Valentine,	" 128,	Wilkesbarre.
Lycoming and Clinton,	J. W. Whitman,	" 28,	Williamsport.
Montour,	J. C. Millhouse,	" 77,	Danville.
Montgomery,	Joseph H. Keel,	" 1,	Norristown.
Northampton,	Charles Rinker,	" 84,	South Easton.
Northumberland,	Oscar Foust,	" 153,	Watsontown.
Perry,	John A. Shearer,	" 96,	Duncannon.
Schuylkill,	David W. Price,	" 107,	Ashland.
Venango, Crawford, and Erie,	W. H. R. Kelty,	" 163,	Titusville.
Westmoreland and Indiana,	Joseph L. McQuisten,	" 72,	Irwin Station.
York,	G. J. S. James B. Ziegler,		York.

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PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

GREAT COUNCIL OF PENNSYLVANIA.

PHILADELPHIA, 13*th Sun, Beaver Moon, G. S. D.* 381.

Great Council of Pennsylvania assembled in accordance with their By-Laws, and kindled the Council fire in ample form, at the 10th run rising of the sun.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

JOHN REBMAN—Great Sachem.
JOSEPH W. CLYMER—Great Senior Sagamore.
JAMES B. ZIEGLER—Great Junior Sagamore.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
GEORGE W. KREAMER—Great Sannap.
W. H. R. KELTY—Great Guard of Wigwam, *pro tem.*
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

Certificates of the following Representatives presented, read, and on motion duly acknowledged:—

Samuel G. Cox, No. 4, in place of Marcus Reese; Smith Swords, No. 11; Oswald Heckman, No. 15; Wm. Kershaw, No. 29; Charles A. Boyer, No. 31, in place of J. W. Cress, resigned; George Metzel, No. 37, in place of Christian Markley, resigned; Cyrus P. Tittle, No. 66, in place of Wm.

R. Jones, resigned; Harry Lang, No. 79, in place of David Renshaw; Christian B. Myers, No. 84, in place of James Dewey, resigned; John T. Howe, No. 105, in place of L. P. Post, resigned; Nathan Shaffer, No. 120; Thomas H. Thompson, No. 149; C. Dallas Hoffman, No. 157, in place of J. N. Lytle, resigned; B. F. Frost, No. 163, in place of W. H. R. Kelty, resigned; Joseph M. Ogden, No. 165; A. B. Campany, No. 167; John L. Baehr, No. 169; Wm. M. DuFour, No. 171; Wm. H. Gilbert, No. 172; W. E. McClintock, No. 173; F. L. Blackmarr, No. 175; Wm. Berger, No. 181; L. H. Collom, No. 183; W. L. Douglass, No. 184; W. H. R. Kelty, No. 188; Angus Cameron, No. 190; Thos. Ramsey, D. C. No. 2, in place of John Hays, resigned.

Rep. Bashore, No. 151, presented a certificate, stating that he was in good standing at the close of the term.

On motion of Rep. Moore, No. 48, the G. C. of R. was authorized to place his name on the list of Past Sachems.

Roll of Representatives called, and the following present:—

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 12, 13, 14, 18, 19, 21, 22, 27, 30, 31, 32, 33, 37, 38, 39, 43, 44, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 61, 66, 68, 71, 73, 76, 77, 79, 87, 90, 91, 93, 96, 104, 113, 116, 118, 126, 127, 133, 136, 139, 144, 145, 147, 148, 151, 158, 161, 163, 166, 188, D. C. 2, 4.

Certificates of Past Sachems read and referred.

Certificate from No. 76, notifying of the admission of P. S. Isaac A. Davis, formerly of No. 19, of New Jersey, to membership in their Tribe, was read.

Certificates that the following had been appointed Prophet at the institution of, and had served to the end of the term in their respective Tribes, were read, and on motion the rank of Past Sachem was duly conferred upon them:—

C. C. Davis,	No. 162	David T. McKay,	No. 175
Joseph Freaser,	" 165	R. C. Wallace,	" 177
A. B. Campany,	" 167	John H. Black,	" 178
D. L. Knouse,	" 169	Elijah Baker, Jr.	" 179
D. L. Stoud,	" 170	Jacob Mountain,	" 182
Wm. M. DuFour,	" 171	D. W. Neilds,	" 183
Frank S. Vernon,	" 172	W. L. Douglass,	" 184
N. S. Marshall,	" 174		

G. C. of R. proceeded to read the record of last session; when, on motion of P. S. Naylor, No. 87, the further reading was dispensed with, and the record adopted as printed.

G. P. Moss presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the council fire of the Great Council be kindled at the 9th run rising of the sun and 2d run setting of the sun, and close respectively at 12th and 5th run.

Great Sachem presented the following, which was read and referred to the proper Committees:—

GREAT SACHEM'S REPORT.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

Chiefs and Brothers: The Great Spirit, through his all-wise providence, again permits us to meet around our council fire, and to give an account of our doings for the last six moons. Although I have been the most of the time unable to perform my duty as your Great Sachem, on account of sickness, yet I am able to say that the Order is adding to its membership daily.

INSTITUTION OF TRIBES.

At the session of the Great Council in Flower Moon last, applications were received and charters granted to Tribes, Nos. 175, 176, 177, and 178, which were duly instituted as follows:—

Shenango Tribe, No. 175, Meadville, Crawford County, 28th of Flower Moon, by D. G. S. Kelty, P. S. Plance, and myself, assisted by a large number of members of Nos. 137, 147, 163, 165, 167, and 173. Chiefs raised up: David T. McKay, Prophet; F. L. Blackmarr, Sachem; S. S. Thurston, S. S.; J. B. Coleman, J. S.; Henry S. McCoy, C. of R.; Henry Shofer, K. of W.

Tohickon Tribe, No. 176, Point Pleasant, Bucks County, 5th of Hot Moon, by G. C. of R. Baker, G. G. of F. Donnalley, D. G. S. Holt, assisted by brothers of No. 29, of New Jersey, and 127, 168. Chiefs raised up: Silas Tetterman, Prophet; J. M. Swope, Sachem; David F. Myers, S. S.; John M. Solliday, J. S.; Saml. Farrell, C. of R.; Nicholas Swartz, K. of W.

Wesquenesque Tribe, No. 177, Wiconisco, Dauphin County, 21st of Flower Moon, by G. C. of R. Baker and G. G. of F. Donnalley. Chiefs raised up: Robert C. Wallace, Prophet; C. A. Hochlander, Sachem; David Workman, S. S.; Wm. E. Keen, J. S.; John J. Johns, C. of R.; John Orndorff, Sr., K. of W.

Pokanoket Tribe, No. 178, Narrowsville, Bucks County, 6th of Hot Moon, by G. C. of R. Baker, G. G. of F. Donnalley, and P. S.'s Zane and Myers, of No. 84, assisted by brothers of No. 11, of New Jersey, and Nos. 84, 168, 176. Chiefs raised up: John H. Black, Prophet; John S. Johnson, Sachem; Josiah Rufe, S. S.; Mahlon W. Trauger, J. S.; Wm. T. Foust, C. of R.; Abraham Ritter, K. of W.

Petitions in proper form has been received, and after due consideration by the Great Chiefs, dispensations have been issued for the following Tribes:—

Toughkenamon Tribe, No. 179, Avondale, Chester County; petition signed by twenty pale faces; received 15th of Flower Moon; instituted 19th of Hot Moon, by G. S. S. Clymer, G. C. of R. Baker, G. G. of F. Donnalley, D. G. S. Shallcross, P. S.'s McCormick and Black of No. 54, Hall, Williams, and Echoff of No. 83, assisted by brothers of No. 7, 54, and 83. Chiefs raised up: Elijah Baker, Prophet; Eli C. Baker, Sachem; Chalkley V. Steward, S. S.; John T. Gray, J. S.; John James, C. of R.; Joseph Cooper, K. of W.

Oneko Tribe, No. 180, Parsons, Luzerne County; petition signed by ten brothers and twenty pale faces; received 24th of Flower Moon; instituted 2d of Buck Moon, by G. C. of R. Baker, G. G. of F. Donnalley, D. G. S. Valentine, P. S.'s Goldberg, No. 7, Valentine, No. 47, Montanye, No. 128, assisted by brothers of Nos. 128 and 132. Chiefs raised up: P. S. Samuel Johnson, Prophet; Wm. H. Rhoads, Sachem; G. W. Mitchel, S. S.; Sylvester D. Rhoads, J. S.; Alex. C. Johnson, C. of R.; Wm. Johnson, K. of W.

Tulpehocken Tribe, No. 181, Reading, Berks County; petition signed by eight brothers and twenty pale faces; received 4th of Hot Moon; instituted 9th of Buck Moon, by G. S. S. Clymer, G. C. of R. Baker, G. G. of F. Donnalley, D. G. S. Keller, and P. S. Mayfarth, No. 14, and members of No. 74. Chiefs raised up: P. S. Wm. Berger, Prophet; Samuel Grau, Sachem; Thomas T. Elliott, S. S.; John J. Upp, J. S.; P. S. W. M. Saylor, C. of R.; Milton H. Althouse, K. of W.

Opawgun Mokkeetay Tribe, No. 182, Broad Top, Huntingdon County; petition signed by two brothers and twenty-four pale faces; received 25th of Hot Moon; instituted 16th of Buck Moon, by G. C. of R. Baker, G. G. of F. Donnalley, D. G. S. Flood, P. S.'s Kline and Hight, and brothers of No. 68. Chiefs raised up: Jacob Mountain, Prophet; Stewart A. Flenner, Sachem; W. B. Carrigan, S. S.; John T. Lewis, J. S.; Edward Jones, C. of R.; Ephraim Mears, K. of W.

Minnekaunee Tribe, No. 183, Petroleum Centre, Venango County; petition signed by two brothers and thirty-seven pale faces; received 27th of Hot Moon; instituted 5th of Buck Moon, by D. G. S. Kelty, P. S.'s Pott, No. 28, Plance, No. 147, Aaron and Fellerman, No. 163, assisted by a large number of brothers of Nos. 137, 147, 163, and 173. Chiefs raised up: D. W. Neilds, Prophet; L. H. Collom, Sachem; H. Howe, S. S.; James Deshler, J. S.; B. Wilkins, C. of R.; T. S. Armstrong, K. of W.

Waubansie Tribe, No. 184, Beuna Vista, Allegheny County; petition signed by fifty-three pale faces; received 28th of Hot Moon; institued 25th of Buck Moon, by myself, assisted by brothers of No. 58. Chiefs raised up: W. L. Doughlass, Prophet; D. H. Pinkerton, Sachem; N. H. Boyd, S. S.; Jonathan Rupert, J. S.; G. W. Stevenson, C. of R.; J. W. Boyd, K. of W.

Oswego Tribe, No. 185, Coultersville, Allegheny County; petition signed by three brothers and thirty-two pale faces; received 15th of Buck Moon; instituted 13th of Sturgeon Moon, by P. S.'s Scott, No. 58, Weil, Sheering, and McCoy, No. 103, and myself, assisted by brothers of Nos. 103, 143, and 184. Chiefs raised up: Hugh Russell, Prophet; W. S. Bacon, Sachem; G. W. Wilson, S. S.; D. Kenneday, J. S.; Alex. Thomson, C. of R.; Thomas Smith, K. of W.

Ogalala Tribe, No. 186, Warren, Warren County; petition signed by thirty-eight pale faces; received 8th of Sturgeon Moon; instituted 15th, by G. C. of R. Baker, G. G. of F. Donnalley, and D. G. S. Kelty. Chiefs raised up: J. P. Miller, Prophet; A. E. Goodrich, Sachem; G. W. Mc Pherson, S. S.; W. H. Brecht, J. S.; Geo. P. Orr, C. of R.; D. C. Phillips, K. of W.

Mineola Tribe, No. 187 (German), Philadelphia; petition signed by seven brothers and fifteen pale faces; received 30th of Sturgeon Moon; instituted 23d of Corn Moon, by G. S. S. Clymer, G. K. of W. Pierce, and P. S. Benkert, Frieund, Buchman, No. 5, Mayfarth, Kirschenman, No. 14, Behrens, Lau, No. 135. Chiefs raised up: George Wiegner, Prophet; John J. Scheufele, Sachem; John Fritz, S. S.; Peter Butz, J. S.; John Krug, C. of R.; John B. Felder, K. of W.

Montour Tribe, No. 188, Titusville, Crawford County; petition signed by twenty-seven brothers and four pale faces; received 18th of Corn Moon; instituted 30th, by D. G. S. Kelty, assisted by a large number of brothers of Nos. 163, 175, 183, and 186. Chiefs raised up: A. E. Fay, Prophet; E. A. Keene, Sachem; A. E. Mallet, S. S.; E. N. Fairchild, J. S.; R. B. Flemming, C. of R.; George H. Moon, K. of W.

White Cloud Tribe, No. 189 (German), Allegheny City; petition signed by six brothers and forty-nine pale faces; received 30th of Corn Moon; instituted 7th of Travelling Moon, by myself, assisted by Past Sachems and brothers of Nos. 15, 57, and 115. Chiefs raised up: Christ. Reutenberg, Prophet; John Meyer, Sachem; Peter Herrman, S. S.; Conrad Metz, J. S.; Jacob Schlegel, C. of R.; John Feldheimer, K. of W.

Kawanio Chee Keteru Tribe, No. 190, Philadelphia; petition signed by eight brothers and thirty pale faces; received 4th of Travelling Moon; instituted 16th, by G. S. S. Clymer, G. P. Moss, G. C. of R. Baker, G. K. of W. Pierce, and Great Sannap Kreamer, assisted by P. G. I. Latham, of Virginia, P. G. I. Eckert, P. G. S.'s Stewart and Conley, and a large number of members of the Order. Chiefs raised up: P. G. I. Angus Cameron, Prophet; Thomas B. Reeves, Sachem; Thomas Ford, S. S.; P. S. Wm. C. Probasco, J. S.; P. S. J. David Miller, C. of R.; P. G. S. J. F. Madeira, K. of W.

DISPENSATIONS.

I have granted dispensations to the following Tribes:—

On the 11th of Flower Moon, to Red Warrior Tribe, No. 109, to confer the Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees upon George Wilson, J. H. White, F. M. Birch, and J. O. Richard.

On the 13th of Flower Moon, to Aquashicola Tribe, No. 158, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon Thomas W. Williams, and Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees upon Phaon Kloty and Thomas Houser.

On the 15th of Flower Moon, to Juniata Tribe, No. 74, to confer the Chief's degree upon Wm. Maicks.

On the 21st of Flower Moon, to Saranac Tribe, No. 84, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon Wm. Daub.

On the 22d of Flower Moon, to Youghiogheny Tribe, No. 103, to confer the Chief's degree upon Wm. Eberts, and Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon Wm. Scharff.

On the 2d of Sturgeon Moon, to Itah Tribe, No. 115, to confer the Chief's degree upon G. V. Payton and A. E. Glenn.

To Pontiac Tribe, No. 15, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon Chas. Frasch; also, to adopt and confer degrees upon P. Herrman, Jacob Schlegel, Conrad Metz, John Kreiling, and George Kemled.

To Black Hawk Tribe, No. 26, to confer the Chief's degree upon Ed. Someborn.

To Allequippa Tribe, No. 58, to confer the Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees upon Ed. M. Hawkins.

To Saranac Tribe, No. 84, to hold a fair and festival.

To Oswego Tribe, No. 185, to give a pic-nic.

To Chillisquaqua Tribe, No. 152, to suspend the payment of benefits for the space of six moons, from the 11th of Hot Moon, G. S. D. 381, having less wampum in the Belt than the law requires.

Ganeodiyo Tribe, No. 167, to suspend benefits for the space of three moons from the 16th of Corn Moon.

To Sawquehanna Tribe, No. 131, to suspend benefits for the space of one great sun, from the 23d of Buck Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To Waubansie Tribe, No. 184, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brothers Edward Davis, Fred. Switzer, Andrew Miller, Edward Stahl, Jacob J. Miller, Mordecai Cooley, Ezekiel Painter, M. M. Curry, Alex. Wilson, Robert Wilson, Jacob Bird, H. A. Tantlinger, David Wilson, John D. Reed, Jacob Dewalt, Wm. J. Archibald, J. H. Watson, Wm. Guffery, Chas. Heisterman, Benjamin Anderson, Patterson Rupert.

Total amonnt received for dispensations, fifty-six fathoms five feet.

DECISION.

About the 1st of Travelling Moon, I received a communication from H. B. Waltman, Sachem of Ganeodiyo Tribe, No. 167, complaining of the action of the Tribe, and asking my decision thereon. He states that being called away from home on business, he notified the Tribe of his expected absence; that during his absence he was taken sick, and was unable to return at the time he expected; that he wrote to the S. S. inform-

ing him of the cause of his continued absence; but notwithstanding this, the Tribe declared his seat vacant after three council sleeps.

I decided that the Tribe could not declare vacant the seat, when the absence was caused by sickness or absence from the city.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Yemassee Tribe, No. 134.

No reports having been received from this Tribe for the two previous terms, I authorized the G. C. of R. to communicate with my newly appointed Deputy of Schuylkill County (who resided in the town in which the Tribe was located), urging him to endeavor to get them in operation, or to collect their books and effects. He promptly attended to the duty, and after repeated efforts, and several communications between him and the G. C. of R., he succeeded in getting them to remove to Girardville, where there was a good hunting ground to work in, and a number of pale faces ready to attach themselves to the Order. On the 11th of Corn Moon the Deputy writes: "The Tribe has removed to Girardville and adopted twenty. They have started with very good prospects, and I believe that they will have a strong Tribe in six moons." Their report shows that they have adopted forty-six since the removal.

They have requested a remission of a portion of their tax, which I present for your consideration.

Great credit is due to D. G. S. Price and G. C. of R. Baker, for their promptness, zeal, and tact in aiding in the restoration of this Tribe to active operation.

The G. C. of R. has also had repeated communications with the Deputy of Perry County, and also with some of the members of Alpharetta Tribe, No. 98, with a view of urging upon them some activity in the Tribe, and did hope to make a favorable report thereon at this session.

At the request of Tuscarora Tribe, No. 11, of Lambertville, New Jersey, I granted them permission to adopt into their Tribe Hugh B. Murray, a resident of New Hope, in this jurisdiction.

On the 1st of Corn Moon, I received information of the expulsion from his Tribe of one of the Representatives to the Great Council of the United States. I thereupon appointed P. G. I. Andrew J. Baker a Representative in his place.

I have learned that a circular asking pecuniary aid has been received by many (perhaps all) of the Tribes. I therefore desire to call attention to the resolution adopted at the session in Cold Moon, G. S. D. 378 (page 309, Vol. III), which is as follows:—

"*Resolved*, That no application for pecuniary aid shall be circulated in any Tribe in this jurisdiction, unless the same shall contain a statement of its financial condition, signed by its chiefs and under seal, and stating the cause, if any, of the losses it may have sustained, with the further requirement that the said application shall be endorsed by the Great Sachem and G. C. of R., under the seal of this Great Council."

I have visited the Tribes in the Monongahela and Allegheny Valleys, up to Titusville.

I would return my thanks to the several Deputy Great Sachems, and in particular to D. G. S. Kelty; also, to the different Great Chiefs, in particular to G. C. of R. Andrew J. Baker.

I would also return my thanks to P. S. Oswald Heckman, Chas. Kambeis, Adam Wagner, No. 15, Vincenz Morath, Henry Muhl, No. 57, John M. Scott, L. Allen, No. 58, S. M. Geiss, No. 115, and others.

Yours in F. F. and C.

JOHN REBMAN, *G. S.*

REPORT OF G. S. S. CLYMER, D. G. S.

GREAT SACHEM, JOHN REBMAN.

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER: Having been appointed D. G. S. of the Philadelphia District, on the 5th of Hot Moon last, I herewith submit my report since that date.

I have the pleasure to report that the Tribes in this District are all in a prosperous condition, working harmoniously, and gaining large accessions to their membership. I have visited a large number of the Tribes in my District, and find them as above reported. I intend, before the close of my term, to visit each Tribe in the District.

VISITATIONS.

During my term I have visited Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, Moscoseo Tribe, No. 34, Absaraka Tribe, No. 104, Idaho Tribe, No. 73, Passyunk Tribe, No. 139, Mohawk Tribe, No. 14, Montezuma Tribe, No. 21, Pequod Tribe, No. 18, Osage Tribe, No. 113, Miquon Tribe, No. 50, Wingohocking Tribe, No. 33, Sioux Tribe, No. 87, Weccaeoe Tribe, No. 135, Mineola Tribe, No. 187, Mohegan Tribe, No. 27, Cherokee Tribe, No. 19, Kuquenaku Tribe, No. 4, Kawanio Chee Keteru Tribe, No. 190.

DISPENSATIONS.

On the 7th of Hot Moon, to Pawnee Tribe, No. 20, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brothers Edgar M. Chipman, N. J. Hart, Samuel B. Slifer, and James W. Porter. (Fee, four fathoms.)

On the 10th of Hot Moon, to Mohegan Tribe, No. 27, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother George Raven. (Fee, one fathom.)

On the 15th of Hot Moon, to Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother Jacob Valer. (Fee, one fathom.)

On the 29th of Hot Moon, to Leni Lenape Tribe, No. 3, to give an excursion to New York Bay, on the 15th of Buck Moon. (Fee, three fathoms.)

On the 9th of Buck Moon, to Kuquenaku Tribe, No. 4, to dispense with the payment of weekly wampum for the period of six moons, their Wampum Belt being very much depleted. Dispensation to take effect from the above date.

On the 18th of Buck Moon, to Kuqnenaku Tribe, No. 4, to change their council sleep from Thursday to Tuesday, and to remove their wigwam from Wm. Penn Hose House to N. W. cor. Seventh and Girard Avenue.

On the 26th of Buck Moon, to Osage Tribe, No. 113, to confer the Chief's degree upon brother Thomas R. Buchanan. (Fee, five feet.)

On the 26th of Buck Moon, to Weccacoe Tribe, No. 135, to give a picnic at Smith's Island, on the 12th of Sturgeon Moon. (Fee, three fathoms.)

On the 5th of Sturgeon Moon, to Mohegan Tribe, No. 27, to give a ball in honor of the Great Council, on the 14th of Beaver Moon. (Fee, three fathoms.)

On the 8th of Sturgeon Moon, to Shakahappo Tribe, No. 138, to hold a fruit festival, on the 19th of Sturgeon Moon. (Fee, three fathoms.)

On the 15th of Sturgeon Moon, to Cohocksink Tribe, No. 126, to change the place of kindling their council fire, from Fifth and Thompson to N. E. corner Ninth and Callowhill Streets.

On the 23d of Sturgeon Moon, to Mohawk Tribe, No. 14, to propose, elect, and adopt upon the same sleep, the following named pale faces: John Jacob Schuefele, Peter Butz, John B. Felder, John Fritz, Herman Kuhn, John Krug, and George F. Weigner; also to confer the Hunter's, Warrior's, and Chief's degrees upon the above named pale faces. I granted the dispensation as applied for, as I understood that there was a prospect of starting a new Tribe, which Tribe was instituted on the 23d of Corn Moon. (Fee, seventeen fathoms five feet.)

On the 23d of Sturgeon Moon, to Mohawk Tribe, No. 14, to give a picnic at Silverburg Grove, on the 26th Sturgeon Moon. (Fee, three fathoms.)

On the 29th of Sturgeon Moon, to Miquon Tribe, No. 50, to hold their thirteenth anniversary on the 4th of Corn Moon. (Fee, three fathoms.)

On the 5th of Corn Moon, to Wawatam Tribe, No. 63, to suspend the payment of weekly wampum for the period of one great sun, their Wampum Belt being in such a condition as to warrant me in granting the dispensation.

On the 13th of Corn Moon, to Wyoming Tribe, No. 7, to confer the Chief's degree upon brother Wm. S. Hoffner. (Fee, five feet.)

On the 14th of Corn Moon, to Moscosco Tribe, No. 34, to give a citizens' dress ball, on the 12th of Hunting Moon. (Fee, three fathoms.)

On the 11th of Corn Moon, to Sioux Tribe, No. 87, to give a ball, on the 6th of Hunting Moon. (Fee, three fathoms.)

On the 17th of Corn Moon, to Absaraka Tribe, No. 104, to confer the Chief's degree upon brother George W. Knowles. (Fee, five feet.)

On the 26th of Corn Moon, to Miantonomo Tribe, No. 45, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother Samuel D. Townsend. (Fee, one fathom.)

On the 26th of Corn Moon, to Wissahiekon Tribe, No. 32, to hold a festival on the 25th of Beaver Moon. (Fee, three fathoms.)

On the 28th of Corn Moon, to Shawnese Tribe, No. 8, to hold a festival on the 19th of Beaver Moon. (Fee, three fathoms.)

On the 28th of Corn Moon, to Wissinoming Tribe, No. 133, to raise brother David Ziegler to the stump of Senior Sagamore, the Junior Sagamore having withdrawn from the Tribe, and the term of the Senior Sagamore about to expire.

On the 30th of Corn Moon, to Kuquenaku Tribe, No. 4, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother J. W. Smiley. (Fee, one fathom.)

On the 30th of Corn Moon, to Chippewa Tribe, No. 51, to confer the Chief's degree upon brother S. Bullmore. (Fee, five feet.)

On the 2d of Travelling Moon, to Wissahickon Tribe, No. 32, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother Lewis G. Pfleisching. (Fee, one fathom.)

On the 4th of Travelling Moon, to Absaraka Tribe, No. 104, to give an entertainment at Fox's Theatre, on the 22d of Travelling Moon; also, to appear in regalia on that occasion. (Fee, three fathoms.)

On the 5th of Travelling Moon, to Cherokee Tribe, No. 19, to give their annual festival, on the 19th of Beaver Moon. (Fee, three fathoms.)

On the 9th of Travelling Moon, to Manaiung Tribe, No. 118, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brother Wm. Ames. (Fee, one fathom.)

On the 11th of Travelling Moon, to Osage Tribe, No. 113, to give a ball, on the 21st of Travelling Moon. (Fee, three fathoms.)

On the 23d of Travelling Moon, to Massasoit Tribe, No. 144, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon H. P. Connell upon the same sleep. (Fee, one fathom.)

On the 26th of Travelling Moon, to Minnewa Tribe, No. 79, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brothers J. R. Corson and T. F. Corson. (Fee, two fathoms.)

On the 26th of Travelling Moon, to Wissinoming Tribe, No. 133, to remove their wigwam from Pennsylvania Avenue and Coates to Ridge Avenue and Coates.

On the 28th of Travelling Moon, to Chippewa Tribe, No. 51, to give a citizens', regalia, and fancy dress ball, on the 7th of Beaver Moon. (Fee, three fathoms.)

On the 2d of Beaver Moon, to Montezuma Tribe, No. 21, to confer the Warrior's and Chief's degrees upon brothers Heimach and Pedrich. (Fee, two fathoms.)

Total amount received for dispensations, seventy-six fathoms five feet.

DECISIONS.

1. On the 5th of Hot Moon, I received a communication from Sioux Tribe, No. 87, asking the following question: "The Tribe had granted a withdrawal card to a brother, and the brother lost it, and then made application to the Tribe for another card in place of the one lost?" The Tribe asked to know what course to pursue.

I answered them as follows: That the Tribe had the right to grant another card in the place of the one lost; but it should be endorsed upon the face, *duplicate* in place of one lost, granted on the —— Sun, ——— Moon, G. S. D. —.

2. On the 24th of Buck Moon, I received a communication from Osage Tribe, No. 113, asking the following question: "Has the Sachem of the Tribe any power to order the Chief of Records to strike off the record of a previous council a motion which was unconstitutional, which motion was ordered to be struck off previous to the adoption of the records by the Tribe?"

To the above question I gave the following answer: The right and power of the Sachem over a motion conflicting with the law exists only when the motion is made and under consideration, *and then only* to declare it out of order, subject to appeal from his decision by the Tribe; but after the subject has been approved of by the Tribe *his right ceases*, and the Tribe alone has the right to rescind, reconsider, and erase from the record.

3. On the 29th of Buck Moon, I received a communication from Cherokee Tribe, No. 19, asking the following question: "How does a charge for sending a notice affect a brother's standing in the Tribe as regards benefits—will such a charge throw them in arrears or not?"

To which I gave the following reply: That by the decision of the Great Council neither fine or extra charge of any kind will deprive a member of his benefits. (See page 353, Proceedings of the Great Council, session at Harrisburg, report of the Committee on Law and Usage; also, Section 2, Article XVII, of the Constitution of Tribes.)

4. On the 25th of Sturgeon Moon, I received a communication from Montezuma Tribe, No. 21, asking the following question: "Whether a brother of the Tribe can be admitted to the wigwam after the pale face just adopted has retired to the forest for instructions, and previous to the pale face being admitted to the wigwam?"

To which I gave the following reply: That after the candidate has retired to the forest for the purpose of working his way into the wigwam, and the chiefs and Tribe have resumed their places, a member can be admitted previous to the admission of the newly adopted brother.

5. On the 14th of Corn Moon, I received the following communication from Moscosco Tribe, No. 34, asking the following question: "Can a pale face with only one leg be adopted into the Order?"

I answered them in reply: That by decision of the Great Council of the United States, that no person who has lost a leg or an arm can be adopted into the Order.

6. On the 30th of Corn Moon, I received a communication from Nevada Tribe, No. 76, asking the following question: "Has the Sachem the right to have two votes in an election for chiefs, when the result is a tie vote—the Tribe having a by-law which requires the Chief of Records to call off the names of the brothers entitled to vote, the Sachem having voted when his name was called, and the result of the ballot proving a tie?" The facts above stated gave rise to the above question.

I gave the following decision: The Sachem has not the right to vote twice upon any question, because it is contrary to the letter and spirit of the law. The presiding chief has the casting vote only upon questions voted upon in the usual way in open Tribe; but he has not the right to interfere with the result of a ballot, after he has once cast his ballot while the ballot box was before the Tribe—a tie ballot is a negative one, and is therefore null and void.

7. On the 5th sun of Travelling Moon, I received a communication from Massasoit Tribe, No 144, asking my decision on the following question: "If a committee appointed to hear and determine a charge against a brother fails to meet on the sleep of their appointment and select officers, does that failure discharge the committee, or can the committee be continued and organize correctly, as by the Constitution they are instructed?"

The following was my decision: The failure of a committee, appointed and drawn to try charges against a brother, to meet and organize on the sleep of their appointment, by the selection of a chairman and secretary, is in direct conflict with Section 3, Article XVIII, of the Constitution, therefore it is my opinion, and I so decide, that the committee having acted in violation of Section 3, Article XVIII, of the Constitution, in not organizing on the sleep of their appointment, have no right to act; but should be discharged, and a new committee selected.

8. On the 10th of Travelling Moon, I received a communication from Idaho Tribe, No. 73, asking my decision upon the following question: "Has the Prophet of a Tribe the right to resign his position in the Tribe for the purpose of being elected Chief of Records of his Tribe?"

I answered the communication by saying that by a recent decision of the Great Council of the United States the Prophet could not resign.

9. On the 28th Travelling Moon, I received a communication from Moscosco Tribe, No. 34, asking my decision on the following question: "If a pale face is adopted as a member of a Tribe, and pays no weekly wampum as dues from the time of his adoption until he is a member over eleven moons, and then pays all arrearages, and is reported unable to follow the hunt at the time he pays up, is he entitled to benefits when he is twelve moons a member?"

In the communication the Chief of Records of the Tribe sent me a copy of their By-Laws. I referred them to Article VI, Section 2—the brother being over eleven moons in arrears when he was reported unable to follow the hunt. The Section above referred to is as follows: "Any brother

making application for benefits when disabled, and in arrears, shall not be entitled to benefits during such disability."

CONCLUSION.

I will take this opportunity of returning my thanks to G. K. of W. Pierce, P. S.'s Taylor, No. 79, Frieund, Benkert, and Buchman, No. 5, Mayfarth and Kirschenman, No. 14, Behrens and brother Theodore Lau, No. 135, for the very able assistance they gave me at the institution of Mineola Tribe, 187, on the 23d of Coru Moon.

I would also return my thanks to the Great Chiefs, P. G. I.'s Cameron and Eckert, P. G. S.'s Wiestenberg, Stewart, Gorham, and Conley, and the following Past Sachems: W. C. Probasco, A. J. Morgan, Anthony Peters, F. F. Snyder, Daniel McGowan, T. H. Frieund, Wm. McQuillan, George K. Swain, Edwin Jacoby, Marcus Reese, Wm. G. Hollis, John Dumbell, John J. Pierson, Samuel B. Taylor, Charles M. Leisenring, Franklin Wobeusmith, Wm. Hartley, H. J. Stouer, Thos. A. Winkworth, Joseph Douahue, John C. Young, Wm. H. Heck, John C. Moore, Joseph Bateman, and Frederiek Hubb, for the very kind assistance they gave me in raising up the chiefs of the various Tribes in the District.

I will now close my report, hoping that my actions while Deputy of the District may meet both the approval of yourself and the members of the Great Council. Fraternally yours,

JOSEPH W. CLYMER, *G. S. S.*
D. G. S. for Philadelphia County.

Rep. McNeal, No. 22, moved that the credentials of those Past Sachems not returned upon the list be referred to a committee of three, to report as to their right of admission, which was adopted.

The Great Sachem appointed Rep. McNeal, No. 22, Kline, No. 68, and O'Neil, No. 33, as the committee.

Rep. Rodbard moved to extend the time for quenching the council fire for thirty breaths, which was adopted.

The following Past Sachems were admitted to membership:—

Smith Swords,	No. 11	C. Dallas Hoffman,	No. 157
Wm. Kershaw,	" 29	B. F. Frost,	" 163
Edward S. Deemer,	" 45	Joseph M. Ogden,	" 165
Chalkley M. Valentine,	" 47	Wm. H. Gilbert,	" 172
Christian B. Myers,	" 84	W. E. McClintock,	" 173
Hugo Menger,	" 126	F. L. Blackmarr,	" 175
Wm. R. Eastman,	" 157		

The Council fire was quenched in due form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PHILADELPHIA, 13*th Sun, Beaver Moon, G. S. D.* 381.

Great Council assembled and kindled the Council fire, at the 2d run setting of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

JOHN REBMAN—Great Sachem.
JOSEPH W. CLYMER—Great Senior Sagamore.
JAMES B. ZIEGLER—Great Junior Sagamore.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
GEORGE W. KREAMER—Great Sannap.
W. H. R. KELTY—Great Guard of Wigwam, *pro tem.*
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 11, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 27, 29, 30, 31, 32, 34, 37, 38, 39, 41, 43, 44, 45, 48, 49, 50, 52, 61, 66, 68, 71, 73, 76, 77, 79, 84, 86, 87, 91, 96, 104, 113, 116, 118, 126, 127, 133, 136, 139, 144, 145, 147, 148, 151, 157, 161, 163, 166, 172, 173, 175, 188, 190, D. C. 2, 4.

Rep. McNeal, chairman, presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 13th Sun, Beaver Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Committee to whom was referred the credentials of Past Sachems in waiting, whose names do not appear on the record, respectfully report having examined the same, and find that, under the laws governing the admission to this body, that P. S.'s T. H. Thompson, No. 149, and John B. Felder, No. 187, are entitled to participate in the deliberations of this body. The Chief of Records of the different Tribes from which the remaining credentials emanate having failed to report on the standing of the applicants for admission, we are obliged, according to Article I, Section 6, of the By-Laws, which reads as follows:—

"Not more than three suns after the first stated council of each term, the Chief of Records of each Tribe shall furnish the Great Chief of Records, as part of his six moons report, a list of the Past Sachems of the Tribe not over three moons in arrears at the time of said session of the Great Council; and no Past Sachem can be admitted, unless said list shall have been furnished and his name returned thereon."

The only question on which your Committee hesitated, was whether the fact of a Past Sachem's name appearing on the report of the Chief of Records of Tribes as the present Prophet would entitle him to a seat in this Great Council; but no evidence appearing as to their standing on the books of their Tribes, the Committee are unanimously of the opinion that

ignorance of law is no excuse for a transgression of the same, and would ask that admission be denied them.

All of which is respectfully submitted for your approval, in the bonds of F. F. and C.

H. B. McNEAL,
L. B. KLINE,
E. V. O'NEIL.

On motion, the report was accepted.

Rep. Eckert moved that the construction placed by the Committee, and just adopted by the Great Council, shall not affect the admission of those presenting themselves at the present session.

Rep. McNeal presented the following amendment: "Provided the evidence has been furnished our G. C. of R. that they are in good standing in their Tribes."

The main question being called and sustained, the amendment was rejected.

The motion was adopted. Ayes, 76; Nays, 15.

P. S. Probasco, No. 190, presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the G. C. of R. be requested to insert in the proper place on Six Moons Returns the following: "The name of the retiring Sachem, if he is in good standing, must appear on this Return."

Rep. Wallace moved that P. S. Lewis Zitzer, No. 108, be admitted upon his certificate as Representative, which was adopted. Ayes, 40; Nays, 34.

An invitation to attend the ball of No. 27, on the sleep of the 14th instant, was read and accepted.

An invitation (accompanied by complimentary tickets) to attend the ball of No. 139, on the sleep of 13th Cold Moon, was read and accepted.

The following Past Sachems were admitted to membership in the Great Council:—

Adam Ashenfelder,	No. 1	T. H. Thompson,	No. 149
John H. Brown,	" 2	A. B. Campany,	" 167
Joseph Schwerle,	" 14	John L. Bachr,	" 169
W. A. Hagy,	" 79	D. L. Stoud,	" 170
John T. Howe,	" 105	W. M. DuFour,	" 171
Lewis Zitzer,	" 108	N. S. Marshall,	" 174
Peter Schmuch,	" 126	L. H. Collom,	" 183
Theodore Lau,	" 135		

Committee on Returns and Reports presented the following, which was on motion adopted:—

PHILADELPHIA, 13th Sun, Beaver Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Committee on Returns and Reports beg leave to submit that they have examined the reports of Tribes and Degree Councils placed in our hands by the G. C. of R., and find them correct, except the hereinafter mentioned.

The reports of Nos. 88, 95, 98, 123, 125, 169, and 183, had not been received by the Committee on the 8th instant.

No reports from Nos. 88, 95, 98, 125, and 183, at this date.

The following Tribes are short in percentage: No. 128, seven feet five inches; No. 119, five fathoms two feet; No. 160, one fathom three feet five inches; No. 132, four fathoms seven feet five inches; No. 134, eleven fathoms.

The following Tribe has overpaid: No. 8, five feet, for which we ask an order be drawn.

The amount due by No. 132, we would ask to be remitted, for reason that the Tribe report that they have no wampum to pay the amount due.

The amount due by No. 134, we would ask that it be remitted, for reason that the Tribe was in such a condition that they could not get a quorum, and removed to another town, and were revived within the time allowed for new Tribes, and have paid the full amount on adoptions.

The receipts from Tribes and Degree Councils for tax as far as received, amount to 3019 fathoms 9 feet.

Respectfully submitted,

F. WOBENSMITH,
E. H. HAZZARD,
SAMUEL N. FOSTER.

Rep. Blackmarr, No. 175, presented the following:—

Resolved, That the Great Council of Pennsylvania be requested to erase the names of petitioners from the Charter Plate of No. 175, who have not presented themselves for adoption, and insert the names of those who have.

Rep. Wobensmith moved to refer it to the Committee on State of the Order, which was adopted.

Petitions for charters of Tribes were read, and on motion referred to a committee of three.

The Great Sachem appointed Rep. Hollis, Heckman, and DuFour the committee.

A communication from No. 156, asking remission of their tax, was read, and on motion referred to the Finance Committee.

A communication from No. 20, in reference to amounts paid by members in procuring cards prior to the reinstitution of the Tribe, was read, and referred to the Finance Committee.

A communication from Rep. Hildebrand, No. 40, in reference to mileage due him for attendance at the last session, was on motion referred to the Finance Committee.

A communication from No. 84, in reference to amounts received by D. G. S. Raub for dispensations, was on motion referred to the Finance Committee.

The Council fire was quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PHILADELPHIA, 14*th Sun*, *Beaver Moon*, *G. S. D.* 381.

Great Council assembled and kindled the Council fire at the 9th run rising of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

JOHN REBMAN—Great Sachem.
JOSEPH W. CLYMER—Great Senior Sagamore.
JAMES B. ZIEGLER—Great Junior Sagamore.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
GEORGE W. KREAMER—Great Sannap.
W. H. R. KELTY—Great Guard of Wigwam, *pro tem.*
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 11, 12, 13, 15, 18, 19, 21, 22, 27, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 37, 38, 39, 41, 43, 44, 48, 49, 50, 51, 53, 54, 61, 66, 68, 70, 71, 73, 76, 77, 79, 81, 83, 84, 87, 91, 96, 104, 105, 108, 113, 116, 118, 127, 133, 136, 139, 145, 147, 148, 149, 151, 158, 163, 165, 166, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 183, 188, D. C. 1, 2, 4.

Record of yesterday's session read, and on motion of Rep. Buscher adopted.

Great Chiefs presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 14th Sun, Beaver Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Great Chiefs respectfully report that they have received from the Board of Appeals, reports in the following cases:—

Kemp *vs.* Shickalamy Tribe, No. 148. The charge was defrauding the Tribe by retaining the mileage paid him for attending the session of Great Council, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 381. The Board "resolved to sustain the appeal, as they find nothing in the law to sustain the action of the Tribe in suspending the brother, after obtaining the decision of the Great Sachem to the contrary."

Which was approved by the Great Chiefs.

Owen *vs.* Shickalamy Tribe, No. 148. This was an appeal from the action of the Tribe, which, after investigation of a charge preferred against a brother, declared him "not guilty." The Board "resolved that the appeal of R. T. Owen *vs.* No. 148 be dismissed."

Which was approved by the Great Chiefs.

Lizmann *vs.* Conodogwinit Tribe, No. 108. The charge was embezzling the wampum of the Tribe. The Board "resolved that the appeal be sustained and the Tribe be directed to reinstate the brother, and pay him the benefits claimed, for the following reasons:—

First.—It was the duty of the Tribe to ascertain by the Auditing Committee that his accounts were all right before surrendering to him his bond.

Second.—We have not sufficient evidence that the brother was indebted to the Tribe at the expiration of his term of office.

Third.—We are of the opinion, judging from the reports of three different committees, that the books of the Tribe are in such a condition that it would be impossible to ascertain whether the brother was or was not indebted to the Tribe."

The charge against this brother was not made until about two great suns after his accounts had been declared correct, and his bond returned to him.

The Great Chiefs approved the report.

Flavill *vs.* Tuscarora Tribe, No. 29. The charge was "conduct unbecoming a Red Man, by taking a pale face into the wigwam while in a state of intoxication;" second, "for conduct which will bring odium upon himself and the Order."

The Board "resolved that the appeal be sustained, and the Tribe be directed to reinstate the brother, for the following reasons:—

First.—The papers presented to the Board are not the original journal of the Committee, and are not signed by the witnesses.

Second.—Admitting the papers to be a correct transcript of the journal there is not sufficient evidence to convict on either of the charges."

The Great Chiefs approved the report.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

JOHN REBMAN, *G. S.*
JOSEPH W. CLYMER, *G. S. S.*
JAMES B. ZIEGLER, *G. J. S.*
JAMES A. MOSS, *G. P.*
ANDREW J. BAKER, *G. C. of R.*
LEWIS C. PIERCE, *G. K. of W.*

On motion, the report was accepted.

The following Past Sachems were admitted to membership in the Great Council:—

Hiram McAllister,	No.	7	James J. McClain,	No.	113
Wm. H. Harvey,	"	27	Nathan Shaeffer,	"	120
C. R. Emmerson,	"	34	Joseph B. Winmill,	"	145
Matthew Patton,	"	51	W. L. Douglass,	"	184
Edwin E. Bowden,	"	81			

On motion of G. P. Moss, the Great Council proceeded to the nomination of Great Chiefs, and Representatives to the Great Council of the United States, when the following were made:—

For G. S.—Joseph W. Clymer, No. 27.

For G. S. S.—James B. Ziegler, No. 37.

For G. J. S.—G. W. Kreamer, No. 45, W. G. Hollis, No, 50. Samuel B. Taylor, No. 79, W. H. R. Kelty, No. 188, W. C. Probasco, No. 190, Daniel McGowan, No. 51, F. F. Snyder, No. 19, Thomas W. Brown, No. 2, J. H. Stoner, No. 104, H. A. Plance, No 147, John Dumbell, No. 17.

For G. P.—John Rebman, No. 58.

For G. C. of R.—Andrew J. Baker, No. 7, W. H. Hartley, No. 8, E. F. Stewart, No. 27.

For G. K. of W.—Lewis C. Pierce, No. 48.

For Rep. to G. C. of U. S.—Morris H. Gorham, No. 17, A. J. Morgan, No. 34, George K. Swain, No. 76, John Rebman, No. 58, N. B. Moninger, No. 51, Charles Naylor, No. 87, Adam Schuh, No. 44, S. J. Wallace, No. 21, Wm. Alchin, No. 70, J. A. Moss, No 70, E. F. Stewart, No 27, Thos. K. Donnalley, No. 18, Robert Roberts, No. 56, A. J. Baker, No. 7, John Dumbell, No. 17, Angus Cameron, No. 190, W. H. McClellan, No. 71,

Wm. R. Jones, No. 66, W. H. Hartley, No. 8, W. H. R. Kelty, No. 188, J. D. Baker, No. 12, Oswald Heekman, No. 15, Jos. W. Clymer, No. 27, Thomas W. Brown, No. 2, Wm. B. Eekert, No. 49, A. B. Flood, No. 68, H. T. Bibighaus, No. 136, Ingham W. Bisbing, No. 7, Franeis Rodbard, No. 30, H. F. Bissout, No. 50, C. C. Conley, No. 51, Jas. B. Ziegler, No. 37, Jos. M. Kirby, No. 32, Frank Wobensmith, No. 116, J. A. Frederiek, No. 61, Jesse Shalleross, No. 83, Charles M. Leisenring, No. 73, John C. Moore, No. 48, John A. Boyer, No. 102, H. W. Villee, No. 22, W. H. Bantom, No. 104, E. V. O'Neil, No. 33, Henry Mayfarth, No. 14, H. A. Planee, No. 147, Samuel Wright, No. 19, C. Wiestenberg, No. 5, Charles Ziegler, No. 31, Wm. Aten, No 77, John A. Shearer No 96,

Rep. Myers, No. 84, moved that the Unwritten Work be exemplified at the 4th run present sun, whieh was adopted.

P. G. S. Conley asked whether the resolution on page 186, Vol. III, was binding upon the Great Council.

The Great Sachem decided it binding.

Rep. Metzel raised the question, that the time had passed in which to raise any question under the same.

The Great Sachem decided the point well taken.

From this decision P. S.'s Dumbell and Wallaee appealed.

On the question, "shall the decision of the Great Sachem stand as the judgment of the Great Council?"

Rep. McNeal, No. 22, moved to lay the appeal on the table.

P. S. Dumbell moved to indefinitely postpone the motion to lay on the table.

The G. S. S. having entertained the motion, Rep. McNeal and O'Neil appealed from the decision, for the reason that it is in direct contravention of Rule 20 of the Rules of Order adopted for the government of this Great Council, which reads as follows:—

"20. When a question is before the Great Couneil, no motion shall be in order, exeept to queneh the eouneil fire; to lay on the table; for the previous question; to postpone indefinitely; to postpone for a eertain time; to divide; to eommit; or to amend—whieh motions shall severally nave preeedenee in the order herein arranged."

Pending the question, P. S. Naylor, No. 87, moved to extend the time for quenching the council fire until this question is decided.

G. P. Moss moved to postpone the consideration until the 2d run, which was adopted.

P. G. S. Conley moved to reconsider the motion to postpone.

G. P. Moss moved to lay the motion on the table, which was adopted.

The Council fire was quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PHILADELPHIA, 14*th Sun*, *Beaver Moon*, *G. S. D.* 381.

Great Council assembled and kindled the Council fire, at the 2d run setting of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

JOHN REBMAN—Great Sachem.
JOSEPH W. CLYMER—Great Senior Sagamore.
JAMES B. ZIEGLER—Great Junior Sagamore.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
GEORGE W. KREAMER—Great Sannap.
W. H. R. KELTY—Great Guard of Wigwam, *pro tem.*
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 27, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 37, 38, 39, 41, 43, 44, 45, 48, 49, 50, 51, 53, 61, 66, 68, 70, 71, 73, 76, 77, 79, 81, 83, 84, 87, 90, 91, 96, 104, 105, 108, 113, 116, 118, 120, 126, 127, 133, 136, 139, 145, 147, 148, 149, 151, 157, 158, 159, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 175, 182, 183, 184, 188, 190, D. C. 2, 4.

Records of morning session read and adopted.

The Great Sachem asked permission to withdraw his decision upon the point raised by Rep. Metzel.

On motion, permission was given.

The Great Sachem asked permission to withdraw his decision upon the resolution on page 186, Vol. III, as he now believes his decision thereon was an erroneous one.

Rep. Blackmarr moved that permission be given him to withdraw his decision.

The following Past Sachems were admitted to membership in the Great Council:—

Wm. Evans,	No. 19	Chas. H. Iseminger,	No. 87
Wm. H. McQuillan,	" 27	Alex. F. Harkness,	" 144
John F. Schofield,	" 33	Samuel Grau,	" 181
Albert W. Gildner,	" 76		

The motion of Rep. Blackmarr was lost.

Permission to withdraw the decision being refused, G. C. of R. Baker and Rep. Blackmarr appealed from the decision of the Great Sachem, on the validity of the resolution on page 186, Vol. III, for the following reasons:—

1. It is a question of considerable doubt whether a corporation created by statute can by a simple resolution lay such a restriction upon eligibility to office.

2. Since the resolution of 17th sun of Buck Moon, G. S. D. 376, was adopted, the whole subject of eligibility to office has been considered by the Great Council, in the adoption of By-Laws. The adoption of these By-Laws is a repeal of the resolution. Article XIII prescribes the test of eligibility to an elective position.

Rep. O'Neil moved to lay the appeal on the table.

Rep. Leisenring moved to indefinitely postpone the motion to lay on the table. Adopted. Ayes, 75; Nays, 12.

Orders of the day being called (the exemplification of the Unwritten Work), it was moved the time of exemplication be postponed until the 11th run to-morrow's sun. Lost.

It was moved the exemplification be postponed for thirty breaths. Adopted. Ayes, 57; Nays, 50.

On the question shall the decision of the Great Sachem stand as the judgment of the Great Council, a vote by Tribes was demanded by Blackmarr, Deal, Bashore, Rodbard, and McNeal, and being ordered were as follows:—

Ayes—2, 4, 5, 8, 11, 12, 13, 17, 18, 19, 21, 27, 29, 31, 33, 34, 38, 39, 43, 44, 45, 48, 49, 50, 51, 53, 54, 61, 68, 70, 76, 77, 79, 81, 83, 84, 87, 91, 96,

104, 105, 108, 113, 116, 118, 120, 127, 133, 136, 139, 145, 148, 149, 151, 157, 165, 166, 170, 172, 173, 174, 183, 190, D. C. 3, 4—65.

Nays—1, 7, 22, 30, 32, 37, 41, 66, 71, 73, 90, 147, 158, 161, 163, 167, 169, 171, 184, 188, D. C. 1, 2—22.

The decison was sustained.

The Council fire was quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PHILADELPHIA, 15*th Sun, Beaver Moon, G. S. D.* 381.

Great Council assembled and kindled the Council fire, at the 9th run rising of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

JOHN REBMAN—Great Sachem.
JOSEPH W. CLYMER—Great Senior Sagamore.
JAMES B. ZIEGLER—Great Junior Sagamore.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
GEORGE W. KREAMER—Great Sannap.
W. H. R. KELTY—Great Guard of Wigwam, *pro tem.*
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest,

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 3, 4, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 27, 29, 30, 31, 33, 34, 37, 38, 39, 41, 43, 44, 49, 50, 51, 54, 61, 66, 68, 71, 73, 76, 77, 79, 81, 83, 84, 87, 90, 91, 96, 104, 105, 108, 113, 116, 120, 127, 133, 136, 139, 145, 147, 148, 151, 157, 158, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 182, 183, 184, 188, D. C. 2, 4.

Records of yesterday's session read and approved.

Rep. Taylor, No. 161, moved that the Great Council proceed to exemplify the Unwritten Work.

Rep. Wobensmith, No. 116, moved to amend by inserting 11th run, which was adopted.

The motion, as amended, was adopted.

P. S. Charles H. Lukens, No. 7, was duly admitted to membership in the Great Council.

Committee on Application for Charters presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 15th Sun, Beaver Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Committee to whom was referred the several petitions for charters for new Tribes, would respectfully report that they have examined said petitions, and finding them in proper form, recommend the following for your adoption:—

Resolved, That the petitions for the following Tribes be approved, and charters granted to the same: Toughkenamon Tribe, No. 179, Avondale, Chester County; Oneko Tribe, No. 180, Parsons, Luzerne County; Tulpehocken Tribe, No. 181, Reading; Opawgun Mokkeetay Tribe, No. 182, Broad Top City; Minnekannee Tribe, No. 183, Petroleum Centre; Waubansia Tribe, No. 184, Beuna Vista, Allegheny County; Oswego Tribe, No. 185, Coultersville, Allegheny County; Ogalala Tribe, No. 186, Warren; Mineola Tribe, No. 187, Philadelphia; Montour Tribe, No. 188, Titusville; White Cloud Tribe, No. 189, Allegheny City, and Kawanio Chee Keteru Tribe, No. 190, Philadelphia.

Resolved, That the action of the Great Chiefs, in instituting the above named Tribes by dispensation, be approved by this Great Council.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. C.

WM. G. HOLLIS,
W. M. DuFOUR,
L. B. KLINE.

Rep. Moss, No. 133, moved to accept the report and adopt the resolutions, which was agreed to.

Rep. Lang, No. 79, presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That hereafter the Unwritten Work of the Order be exemplified immediately after the kindling of the council fire, on the *second sun* of each future session of the Great Council.

Committee on State of the Order presented a report.

Rep. Wobensmith, No. 116, moved to accept the report and adopt the resolution.

Rep. Eckert, No. 49, moved to recommit the report, which was adopted.

Rep. Buscher, No. 145, presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the G. C. of R. will not furnish Tribes their charter, after being granted by this Great Council, until one moon after the proper names are furnished to him in a legible form.

Committee on Cemetery presented the following report:—

PHILADELPHIA, 15th Sun, Beaver Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Committee on Cemetery would respectfully report that since the session of this body, held in Lancaster in the Flower Moon last, they have received and paid over to the Company 1459 fathoms, 20 per cent. of which is 291 fathoms 8 feet, for which your Committee hold the Company's check, payable to the order of the Chairman of your Committee.

Your Committee offer the following resolution, and ask that it be adopted:—

Resolved, That the G. K. of W. be and he is hereby directed to invest the 201 fathoms 8 feet, together with the accrued interest on the previous instalment paid to the Great Council, in City sixes.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

MORRIS H. GORHAM,
WM. B. ECKERT,
E. F. STEWART,
S. B. TAYLOR.

P. S. Kreamer moved to accept the report and adopt the resolution, which was agreed to.

Committee on Law and Usage presented the following report:—

PHILADELPHIA, 15th Sun, Beaver Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage would respectfully report that they have had submitted to them amendments to the laws of Nos. 2, 7, 21, 49, 57, 60, 63, 74, 78, 96, 115, 117, 121, 122, 126, 127, 131, 137, 139, 147, 149, 159, 167, which they have approved.

They have also examined full sets of laws for Nos. 31, 32, 37, 44, 69, 70, 75, 91, 93, 103, 116, 145, 157, 158, 161, 163, 164, 168, 170, 171, 172, 174, 175, 176, 177, 179, 180, 182, 184, 186, which, after correcting and changing to make them conform to the laws and decisions of this Great Council, they have been approved.

The Committee would call the attention of the Great Council to the neglect of the Tribes to give proper information with the laws sent for approval; in some cases with not even a number or post-mark to designate from whence they came. Also the transmission of their laws to members of the Order, not connected with the Committee, nor holding a position requiring such communications to be sent. The Committee cannot account for this, except in two ways; either that the proper information is not furnished at the time of their institution, which we do not think is the case,

or the culpable neglect of those sending them, in directing to parties who have no right to receive them. The directions of the Committee are printed sufficiently plain to enable persons who can read to send their communications properly, if they are disposed to do so.

We would call the attention of the Great Council to the onerous duties of this Committee, as has been stated heretofore. They have had thirty-one full sets of laws, amounting in the aggregate to over five hundred cap pages of manuscript, and requiring in many cases to be read twice, and even three times. No one can properly attend to the duties without great detriment to his personal interests.

The only remedy for this continually increasing work is the proposition submitted by your Committee over one great sun ago, namely: the adoption of a uniform set of By-Laws for the government of the Tribes, leaving blank the amount of adoption fees, dues, weekly and funeral benefits. Such a code could be adopted, that would meet the wants of every Tribe in the jurisdiction, and would prevent a vast amount of trouble and annoyance, not only to the Tribes, but to this Great Council, in the form of appeals, and annoying and contradictory constructions of the law.

In conclusion, your Committee would offer the following resolutions:—

Resolved, That Tribes sending laws for approval, are hereby directed to furnish the name and number of the Tribe, the name of the Chief of Records, and the post-office address (including the County), in order to facilitate the proper return of their communications.

Resolved, That the G. C. of R. be and he is hereby directed to furnish each Tribe with a card containing the directions of the various Great Chiefs and Committees, such card to remain in possession of the Chief of Records of the Tribe.

Yours in F. F. and C.

E. F. STEWART,
C. WIESTENBERG,
WM. G. HOLLIS.

Rep. Wallace, No. 21, moved to accept the report and adopt the resolutions.

Rep. Howe, McNeal, Fisher, Buscher, and Lang, demanded the previous question, and on the question, "shall the main question be now put?" it was agreed to.

The motion was then adopted.

The G. C. of R. of United States being announced in waiting, P. G. S.'s Stewart, Gorham, and Conley were appointed to escort and introduce him to the Great Council.

Representatives to the Great Council of the United States presented the following report:—

PHILADELPHIA, 15th Sun, Beaver Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: Your Representatives report that they attended the Session of the Great Council of the United States, at Nashville, in the Corn Moon last. The Great Council fire was kindled on the tenth sun. The following is a brief summary of so much of the proceedings as most interest this Great Council.

The election for Great Chiefs resulted in the choice of—

P. G. S.	James P. Riely, Virginia,	Great Incohonee.
"	Charles S. Betts, Ohio,	Great Senior Sagamore.
"	Wm. F. Meacham, Tenn.,	Great Junior Sagamore.
P. G. I.	Paxon Coats, Ohio,	Great Prophet.
"	Joshua Maris, Delaware,	Great Chief of Records.
P. G. S.	Wm. Benson, Maryland,	Great Keeper of Wampum.

In relation to the Council of Sachems the following was adopted:—

"*Resolved*, That this Great Council deems it inexpedient at present to adopt any other degrees than those now incorporated in the Ritual."

The Great Council also decided that the balloting for degrees shall be had only when the council fire has been kindled in the degree for which the application has been made.

The following decisions were made in relation to cards:—

"*Resolved*, That brothers holding withdrawal cards are entitled to the T. P. W. and the right to visit all Tribes of the Imp'd O. R. M., and are entitled to the courtesy and attentions of the Order for one great sun.

"*Resolved*, That all brothers holding withdrawal cards are amenable to the Tribes issuing them, and said Tribes shall have the power to arraign and punish such brothers for the violation of the laws of the Order or of the Tribe.

"A committee should not have the power to reject a brother's application by card without a ballot being had thereon by the Tribe. If the applicant is rejected his card must be returned to him undefaced."

The Committee on the State of the Order presented the following:—

1. "Upon the question propounded by Great Sachem Moss, of Pennsylvania, 'Has a Tribe the right to print a copy of their charter with their Constitution and By-Laws?' The Great Incohonee decides that the Tribe has not that right. The charter of a Tribe is the warrant of its authority, and it is displayed in the wigwam where it may be seen by all who enter. They can find no law against its publication for judicious and proper purposes, as it reveals no strictly private matter. Your Committee therefore *disapprove* decision two made by the Great Incohonee."

The report of the Committee was adopted.

"2. Decision five upon the following question propounded by the G. C of R. of the District of Columbia, that 'the Great Council has not the power to make the first Prophet of a new Tribe an elective chief,' your Committee approve, as being in accordance with law and usage."

"Your Committee also approve the decision of the Great Incohonee that 'a resolution cannot be passed by a Tribe declaring vacant the stump of a chief for failing to commit his charge to memory.'"

The report of the Committee was adopted.

"The Committee on the State of the Order have had submitted to them a preamble and sundry resolutions from the Great Council of Ohio, relative to giving the name and numbers of defunct Tribes, after the lapse of two great suns, subsequent to their ceasing to exist, to new petitioners. Your Committee can see no good purpose to be served by such a course.

"The numbers indicate the numerical positions of the Tribes in their respective jurisdictions. To give the names and numbers of defunct Tribes to new petitioners, is to falsify their places in the Order, and to give senority to junior Tribes. The effects of defunct Tribes are required to be surrendered to their Great Councils in trust, to be restored whenever a legal number of its former members may apply for a restoration of its charter. Your Committee recommend that the resolutions be disapproved."

The report of the Committee on this subject was also approved.

In relation to the admission to membership of those who might be maimed or destitute of a limb the following was presented, and sustained by the Great Council of the United States :—

"The Committee on the State of the Order have had referred to them a resolution to rescind the decisions on pages 134, 162, 164, Vol. III, Records of this Great Council, disqualifying from membership a pale face who has lost a hand or arm.

"A pale face thus maimed being unable to comply with the requirements of the Private Work, is incligible to membership. Your Committee recommend that the resolution be disapproved."

The following resolution was adopted, relating to the appeal of Powhatan Tribe, No. 48, against the action of the Great Council of Pa.:—

"*Resolved*, That the Great Council of Pennsylvania be sustained in the above case, so far as relates to the restoration to membership of brother A. C. Pennypacker in said Powhatan Tribe, No. 48; but so far as relates to the action of the Great Council in ordering said Tribe to pay benefits to said Pennypacker, be reversed."

In Secret Session the Great Council decided that the "salutation is not to be given by the noviciate on his retirement from the wigwam during the ceremony,

The following resolution was adopted, relative to the appeal of Catharine Liedlich, widow of Wm. Liedlich, of Conewago Tribe, No. 37, from the Great Council of Pa.: "*Resolved*, That the appeal be sustained."

MORRIS H. GORHAM,	JAMES B. ZIEGLER,
JOHN DUMBELL,	JOHN C. MOORE,
JOSHUA D. BAKER,	ANDREW J. BAKER,
JOHN C. YOUNG,	JOHN A. BOYER,
C. WIESTENBERG,	WM. ATEN,
THOS. K. DONNALLEY,	CHAS. NAYLOR.

The exemplification of the Unwritten Work was made by P. G. S. Stewart, G. S. S. Clymer, and Rep. Moore.

The Council fire was quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

PHILADELPHIA, 15*th Sun, Beaver Moon, G. S. D.* 381.

Great Council assembled and kindled the Council fire in ample form, at the 2d run setting of the sun. Roll called.

GREAT CHIEFS PRESENT.

JOHN REBMAN—Great Sachem.
JOSEPH W. CLYMER—Great Senior Sagamore.
JAMES B. ZIEGLER—Great Junior Sagamore.
JAMES A. MOSS—Great Prophet.
ANDREW J. BAKER—Great Chief of Records.
LEWIS C. PIERCE—Great Keeper of Wampum.
GEORGE W. KREAMER—Great Sannap.
W. H. R. KELTY—Great Guard of Wigwam, *pro tem.*
THOMAS K. DONNALLEY—Great Guard of Forest.

And Representatives of the following Tribes:—

Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 27, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 37, 38, 39, 41, 43, 44, 48, 49, 50, 51, 61, 66, 68, 73, 76, 77, 81, 83, 84, 87, 90, 91, 96, 104, 105, 108, 113, 116, 120, 127, 133, 139, 144, 145, 147, 148, 151, 157, 158, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 175, 183, 184, 188, D. C. 2, 4.

The following Past Sachems were duly admitted to membership in the Great Council:—

Samuel W. Taylor,	No. 26	Samuel Ferrell,	No. 63
Michael Bailey,	" 33	Alex. E. Turner,	" 145

Records of yesterday's session read, and on motion the G. C. of R. was instructed to correct the phraseology of Rep. Lang's resolution. The records were then approved.

Rep. Nos. 2, 15, 61, 68, 83, 84, 91, 108, and 167, were on motion excused from further attendance at the session.

On motion, the report of the Rep. to Great Council of the United States, presented this morning, was accepted.

Committee on Law and Usage presented the following:—

PHILADELPHIA, 15th Sun, Beaver Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage to whom was referred that part of the Great Sachem's and Great Senior Sagamore's reports relating to Appeals, Decisions, and Dispensations, would respectfully submit, that after an examination of the Great Sachem's report, they find that he has omitted to mention the appeals that have been received.

The dispensations are in accordance with the laws of the Order.

The decision rendered in the case of No. 167, which Tribe declared the seat of Sachem vacant, while he was sick and absent from the city, is correct and in accordance with the law.

On an examination of the report of the Great Senior Sagamore from the time of his appointment as Deputy, we find that the dispensations granted have been in accordance with the law.

After carefully examining the decisions, we find that the 1st, in answer to No. 87, is correct in principle, and should be approved by this Great Council.

The 2d, in answer to No. 113, is correct, for the reasons given therein.

The 3d, in answer to No. 19, is correct, and in accordance with the law and decisions of the Great Council.

The 4th, in answer to No. 21, is correct, and in accordance with the usage of the Order, for the reason given, and at the time specified therein.

The 5th, in answer to No. 34, is correct, and in accordance with the decisions of the Great Council of the United States.

The 6th, in answer to No. 76, is correct, for the reasons given therein.

The 7th, in answer to No. 144, is in accordance with the law, and for the reasons assigned.

The 8th, in answer to No. 73, is correct, and in accordance with the decision of the Great Council of the United States.

The 9th, in answer to No. 34, is correct, and in accordance with the By-Laws of the Tribe.

The Committee fully endorse the foregoing decisions, and would respectfully ask their endorsement by this Great Council.

E. F. STEWART,
C. WIESTENBERG,
WM. G. HOLLIS.

On motion, the Great Council proceeded to its consideration. The approval of the decisions of the G. S. and G. S. S. were severally adopted, except that of the 5th decision of the latter.

Rep. Larke moved to refer the report on 5th decision of G. S. S. back, which was adopted.

P. S. Flood moved to accept the report, which was adopted.

Rep. Larke presented the following, which was adopted:—

Whereas, From the report of our Representatives we are informed that the Great Council of the United States has refused to rescind their decision prohibiting pale faces "who have lost a hand or arm" from uniting with us; therefore—

Resolved, That our Representatives be again instructed to bring before that body our urgent request to rescind such an obnoxious decision, and allow the adoption of all worthy pale faces.

Committee on State of the Order presented the following report:—

PHILADELPHIA, 15th Sun, Beaver Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee have had referred to them communications from Shenandoah and Shenango Tribes, each asking that certain names be erased from their charters, and that certain other names be inserted.

Requests of the above character have been propounded at almost every session of this body, and as frequently disposed of.

It is the duty of the persons having the management of the organization of new Tribes, to see that none but the names of proper persons go upon applications for charters sent to this Great Council. The petition presented to this Great Council is the document upon which it acts, and when by its legislation it grants to the petitioners therein a charter, it falsifies its own record by subsequently erasing names therefrom, or inserting others.

To prevent such occurrences hereafter, your Committee offer the following resolutions, and ask that they be adopted:—

Resolved, That the Great Chief of Records be and he is hereby directed to fill up no charters hereafter, until he has a correct list of the names of the petitioners adopted in the Tribe at its institution.

Resolved, That the requests contained in the communications referred to above, be and they are hereby granted.

Respectfully submitted in F. F. and C.

MORRIS H. GORHAM,
THOMAS W. BROWN.

On motion the report was accepted and the resolutions adopted.

The Finance Committee presented the following report, which was on motion accepted:—

PHILADELPHIA, 15th Sun, Beaver Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Finance Committee would respectfully report the following as the condition of the Building Fund, in the hands of the G. K. of W.:—

				fa.	ft.	in.
Amount received from Fernwood Cemetery, session Flower Moon				300	2	5
Amount received for Interest				9	0	0
				309	2	5
Received this session				291	0	8
				600	3	3
Invested in City 6s.	300	0	0			
Premium on same and commission	6	7	5			
Safety Fund, care of bond	1	0	0			
Cash on hand	292	5	8			
				609	3	3
Balance on hand, invested in City 6s,				300	0	0
Cash on hand				292	5	8
				592	5	8

All of which is respectfully submitted,

WM. H. HARTLEY,
SAMUEL B. TAYLOR.

Finance Committee presented the following report:—

PHILADELPHIA, 15th Sun, Beaver Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Finance Committee would respectfully report having examined the accounts of the G. C. of R. and G. K. of W. and find the same as per statement, as follows:—

				fa.	ft.	in.
Balance in Belt, Flower Moon				1644	8	5
Receipts at session				2124	0	0
Premium on bond sold				125	0	0
				3893	8	5
Paid out as per orders				3990	5	6
Balance due G. K. of W.				96	7	1
Receipts present session, Tax				3036	6	0
" " Charters				300	0	0
" " Dispensations				224	0	0
" " Books, Cards, &c.				116	7	8
" " Sale of Proceedings				10	0	0
				3687	3	8
Amount due G. K. of W.	96	7	1			
Outstanding orders	665	0	0			
Bills and Appropriations this session	1858	1	2			
				2619	8	3
				1067	5	5

We have also examined the following bills, and find the same correct:—

		fa.	ft.	in.
Wm. B. Eckert, printing Proceedings, &c.		329	7	5
A. J. Baker, G. C. of R. salary		400	0	0
" advance for supplies G. C. of U. S.		312	5	0
" postage and telegraph		39	4	8
" stationery, freight, &c.		13	3	5
R. L. Dickson, resolution Edwards and Walker		12	0	0
" filling charters		6	0	0
Franck & Co., German Proceedings		125	0	0
John Benkert, German translating		25	0	0
B. Copes, binding Proceedings		5	5	0
E. F. Stewart, Chairman Com. L. U., postage, &c.		2	6	0
Rent of Wigwam		15	0	0
Janitor		5	0	0
John Rebman, G. S., travelling expenses		84	0	0
" " expenses at session		26	0	0
James B. Ziegler, G. J. S., travelling expenses		15	9	6
Thomas K. Donnalley, G. G. of F., salary, &c.		15	5	0
Rent of Office		50	0	0
J. Curtis Hildebrand, omitted last session mileage		2	0	0
Joseph W. Clymer, G. S. S., expenses as D. G. S.		12	4	3
Curtis Roberts,	No. 1,		8	5
Thomas W. Brown,	" 2,	3	4	0
Smith Swords,	" 11,	4	0	5
R. R. Barr,	" 12,	5	3	0
J. W. Batt,	" 13,	1	4	0
O. Heckman,	" 15,	18	7	5
H. B. McNeal,	" 22,	3	4	0
Wm. Kershaw,	" 29,		7	0
Charles A. Boyer,	" 31,	6	7	5
George Metzel,	" 37,	4	7	0
J. McGinnis,	" 39,	4	0	5
D. Williams,	" 41,	4	6	5
Henry Wolf,	" 44,	3	4	0
Wm. H. Dean,	" 53,		7	0
James Black,	" 54,	2	6	0
John A. Frederick,	" 61,	5	3	0
Cyrus P. Tittle,	" 66,	13	8	0
L. B. Kline,	" 68,	10	1	5
W. H. McClellan,	" 71,	8	9	0
Augustus Arms,	" 77,	7	7	0
E. E. Bowden,	" 81,	1	0	0
H. E. Williams,	" 83,	1	9	5
Christian B. Myers,	" 84,	3	3	5

			fa.	ft.	in.
Thomas Rasbridge,	No.	90,	6	7	5
Wm. Lutz,	"	91,	5	3	0
John A. Shearer,	"	96,	6	0	0
John T. Howe,	"	105,	8	1	0
Lewis Zitzer,	"	108,	6	2	0
N. Schaffer,	"	120,	5	5	5
Wm. M. Holt,	"	127,		9	5
S. S. Thomas,	"	136,	4	3	0
H. A. Planee,	"	147,	27	4	0
A. F. Elms,	"	148,	6	9	5
Thomas H. Thompson,	"	149,		7	0
H. J. Bashore,	"	151,	6	7	5
E. Golding,	"	158,	3	4	5
Henry Taylor,	"	161,		4	5
B. F. Frost,	"	163,	25	2	5
Joseph N. Ogden,	"	165,	24	4	5
Newton H. Bieber,	"	166,	4	5	0
A. B. Campany,	"	167,	22	2	5
John L. Baehr,	"	169,	7	5	0
D. L. Stoud,	"	170,	4	2	0
Wm. M. DuFour,	"	171,	3	8	5
Wm. H. Gilbert,	"	172,		9	5
Wm. E. McClintock,	"	173,	25	2	5
N. S. Marshall,	"	174,	2	0	0
F. L. Blackmarr,	"	175,	26	6	5
L. H. Collom,	"	183,	25	4	5
W. L. Douglass,	"	184,	19	2	5
W. H. R. Kelty,	"	188,	25	2	5
Thomas Ramsey, D. C.	"	2,	4	7	0
Davis Kitch, Jr., "	"	4,	3	4	0

Your Finance Committee would offer the following resolutions, and ask their adoption:—

Resolved, That orders be drawn for the several bills and mileage reported correct.

Resolved, That in the matter of Pawnee Tribe, for the return of wampum paid to Great Council, that the amount be appropriated as soon as ascertained, and the G. C. of R. be authorized to draw an order for the same.

Resolved, In the matter of petition representing as coming from Mahantonga Tribe, No. 156, be dismissed, as not coming from the Tribe, and no seal attached, and signed by individual members.

Resolved, That in the matter of D. G. S. Raub, referred, no action is necessary, as the amount has been paid, and credit will be given in the forthcoming report.

Resolved, That an appropriation be made for rent of office, due first of Snow Moon, G. S. D. 382, and the G. C. of R. be authorized to draw an order for the same when due.

Your Committee would call the attention of the Great Council to the fact of the resolution appointing Titusville as the place of kindling the Great Council fire in Flower Moon next, and though not wishing to go contrary to the wishes of the membership, believe it would not be advisable on account of the expense; the mileage for Representatives, &c., would amount to about 2500 or 2600 fathoms, which, together with the tax and percentage due Corn Moon to the Great Council of the United States, would amount to fully 4000 fathoms. The bills for printing, supplies, and regular expenses outside, would amount to an additional sum of 1500 fathoms. The result would be as follows:—

Balance per session				1067	0	0
Receipts, estimating same as this session, say . .				3700	0	0
				4767	0	0
Mileage, percentage, and tax, G. C. U. S.	4000	0	0			
Bills, &c.	1500	0	0			
				5500	0	0
Leaving a deficiency of				737	0	0

Respectfully submitted,

WM. H. HARTLEY,
S. B. TAYLOR.

On motion of Rep. Wallace the report was adopted.

Rep. Rodbard, No. 30, moved that the G. C. of R. be instructed to have 500 copies of Constitution and By-Laws of the Great Council of Pennsylvania, and Constitution of Tribes, printed in German, and to have the same electrotyped, which was adopted.

Rep. Larke presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That in making out the ticket for the election of Great Chiefs and Representatives, the names shall be printed in the order in which they were nominated.

The Committee on Law and Usage presented the following report, which was adopted:—

PHILADELPHIA, 15th Sun, Beaver Moon, G. S. D. 381.

To the Great Council of Pennsylvania—Improved Order of Red Men.

CHIEFS AND BROTHERS: The Committee on Law and Usage, to whom was recommitted the decision of the Great Senior Sagamore in reference to No 34, would report as follows: That the word *leg* be stricken out of the decision, and that it read as follows: "That by decision of the Great

Council of the United States, no person who has lost an *arm* or *hand* can be adopted into the Order, and furthermore that no person can be adopted into the Order who cannot give or reciprocate the signs of the Order as laid down in the Ritual.

Submitted in F. F. and C.

E. F. STEWART, *Chairman.*

A report from the Committee on Digest being called for, P. G. I. Cameron, Chairman, reported progress.

Rep. Foster, No. 20, and P. G. S. Stewart, presented the following:—

Resolved, That a committee of five be appointed, to report to this Great Council such a skeleton code of By-Laws for the government of Tribes as will preserve uniformity, at the same time leaving to the Tribes the control of financial affairs, visitation of the sick, &c.

On motion, it was laid on the table.—Ayes, 57; Nays, 4.

Rep. Wobensmith presented the following, which was on motion adopted:—

Resolved. That the Great Sachem request the Great Incohonee to give his decision in reference to the position the *dash* should occupy in the correspondence in the Chief's Degree, and as soon as received the G. C. of R. shall forward the same to the several Tribes and Degree Councils.

On motion the nominations were reopened, when the following were made:—

For G. J. S.—Wm. H. Heck, No. 20, C. M. Leisenring, No. 73, Jonathan Kershaw, No. 29, J. L. Kelley, No. 81.

For G. C. of R.—Chas. H. Moss, No. 133.

For Rep. to G. C. of U. S.—Robert C. Smith, No. 20, John Beamish, No. 113, Charles Rieder, No. 126, J. David Miller, No. 190, Geo. Wunder, No. 18, Harry Buscher, No. 145, Harry Lang, No. 79.

Rep. Wallace presented the following:—

Resolved, That Tribes be directed to furnish to the Committee on Law and Usage five printed copies of their By-Laws, before they shall be acted on by the Committee.

Rep. Blackmarr moved to indefinitely postpone the resolution, which was agreed to.

Rep. Wolf moved to finally quench the council fire, which was lost.

A number of Representatives rising, and asking to be excused from further attendance, it was moved the Representatives on the floor be allowed leave of absence, which was lost.

G. S. S. Clymer presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That the Great Chief of Records be instructed to print in the back part of the Proceedings a table of the different Deputy Great Sachems, with the name of the District, and the name and number of each Tribe in the District.

The resignation of P. G. S. Stewart as a member of the Committee on Law and Usage was read.

On motion the resignation was accepted, and the thanks of the Great Council returned for his able and efficient services as a member of said Committee.

Rep. Cameron presented the following, which was adopted:—

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to supervise the translation of the Laws into German, when made as provided for at this session, and that no appropriation shall be made on account of said translation, unless the same shall receive the approval of said committee.

Rep. Larke, No. 51, moved to reconsider the vote fixing the next session at Titusville.

Rep. Wallace, No. 21, moved to lay on the table, which was adopted. Ayes, 63; Nays, 16.

The G. S. appointed Theo. K. Young, No. 19, on the Committee on Law and Usage, to fill the vacancy therein; and P. S.'s Buscher, No. 145, Buchman, No. 5, and Peters, No 14, on the Committee to supervise the translation and printing of the General Laws and By-Laws of the Great Council, and Constitution of Tribes, in the German language.

On motion of Great Sannap Kreamer, the Council fire was finally quenched in ample form.

ANDREW J. BAKER,
G. C. of R.

Certificates of the following were received, examined, and found correct, the Past Sachems not presenting themselves for admission :—

Gott. Dannenhauer,	No.	5
James Nesmith,	"	8
Andrew J. Musser,	"	11
Samuel Elder,	"	13
Joseph Abel,	"	17
Wm. Williams,	"	19
Wm. J. Cain,	"	20
Henry A. Aucamp,	"	22
George Sykes,	"	29
Wm. West, Jr.	"	30
E. H. Estep,	"	35
Charles Horn,	"	37
Isaac Gallagher,	"	38
J. C. Thompson,	"	42
George Souder,	"	43
Bernhard Kuhlman,	"	44
Ellwood Childs,	"	45
James E. Springer,	"	48
Thomas B. Cotton,	"	50
Wm. B. Wharton,	"	51
Charles W. Pue,	"	52
Thomas Stewart,	"	53
Owen Shronk,	"	56
Marker Rush,	"	58
Michael Himmelspark,	"	59
Philip Berg,	"	60
Louis Schmidt,	"	61
Theo. Hartung,	"	64
James H. Barton,	"	65
John Kitchens,	"	66
John D. Cox,	"	67
S. L. Saylor,	"	68
Daniel K. Donnally,	"	70
W. A. Moore,	"	71
Wm. N. Thompson,	"	72
George O. Bartlett,	"	74
Anson M. Klink,	"	75
David M. Aten,	"	77
Wm. Engstein,	"	78
Henry Porter,	"	79
John Mooney,	"	81
Albert J. Reed,	"	82
Otley Nields,	"	83
Thomas Moser,	"	84
Balzar Wolf,	"	85
Alexander Cochran,	"	87
Charles Sanders,	"	89
J. M. Seitzenger,	"	90
Abraham Roat,	"	91
Samuel Chamberlein,	"	92
A. W. Moore,	"	93
M. A. K. Weidner,	No.	97
L. D. Himes,	"	99
Isaac Kunkle,	"	100
John B. Russel,	"	101
A. A. Andrews,	"	102
Wm. Collins,	"	103
James Gaddes,	"	106
J. S. Funk,	"	109
Jerome Hooven,	"	110
George W. Savidge,	"	116
George W. Eppright,	"	118
John Erwin,	"	121
Jacob H. Schufele,	"	122
Andrew Robertson,	"	123
Charles E. Leibert,	"	127
Wm. F. Bailey,	"	127
H. C. Frederick,	"	128
C. W. Dunlop,	"	130
Joseph Eckenrode,	"	131
James L. Thorne,	"	133
John J. Williams,	"	134
Diedrich Bartels,	"	135
John H. Hoffer,	"	136
John Hahn,	"	140
John Rees,	"	143
John E. Harvey,	"	150
John W. Stewart,	"	152
James Taylor,	"	153
D. W. Davies,	"	155
Wm. J. Sincock,	"	156
David F. Evans,	"	158
Samuel Leedom,	"	160
Thomas H. Kay,	"	161
W. H. Healy,	"	162
C. C. Davis,	"	162
Joseph Fraser,	"	165
George Twining,	"	166
J. G. Zern,	"	171
Frank S. Vernon,	"	172
David T. McKay,	"	175
John M. Swope,	"	176
R. C. Wallace,	"	177
C. A. Hoehlander,	"	177
John H. Black,	"	178
John S. Johnson,	"	178
Eli C. Baker,	"	179
Elijah Baker, Jr.	"	179
Jacob Mountain,	"	182
Stewart A. Flenner,	"	182
John B. Felder,	"	187

RECEIPTS FROM BOOKS, CARDS, &c.

FURNISHED TO TRIBES.

No.	fa.	ft.	in.
3		7	2
5	1	8	0
13		7	5
14		6	0
15	7	0	0
18	1	5	0
21	1	5	9
22	2	4	0
26	1	0	0
27		3	0
29	3	0	0
32	2	0	0
37	6	2	5
39	10	7	5
40	2	0	0
41		3	5
43	1	0	5
48		1	5
50	2	6	0
54		9	0
58	5	0	0
60	3	0	0
67	1	5	0
68	1	9	0
74	1	8	0
75		4	5
79		3	0
87		1	5
91		4	5
93	2	7	0
105	2	0	0
108	1	8	0
117		7	5
120	3	0	0
122	3	7	5
123	1	0	0
133		7	5
139		4	5
141	1	8	0
144	1	3	5
145		7	5
149		4	5
155	3	1	5
157		9	0
158	2	6	0
159		7	5
163	7	3	5
170	1	6	2
172	1	5	0
173	1	5	0
175	3	7	5
176		9	0
178	4	6	5
180	1	5	0
183	1	5	0
184	1	5	0
186	1	8	0
	116	7	8

DISPENSATION FEES RECEIVED.

G. S. John Rebman	56	5	0
G. S. S. Joseph W. Clymer	76	5	0
G. J. S. James B. Ziegler	4	0	0
D. G. S. C. W. Mathues	7	0	0
" O. B. Keller	1	0	0
" J. H. Keel	6	0	0
" D. W. Price	4	0	0
" W. H. R. Kelty	26	0	0
" W. M. Holt	6	0	0
" A. B. Flood	3	0	0
" Charles Rinker	2	0	0
" D. P. Rosenmiller	4	0	0
" John Shultz	8	0	0
" N. H. Bieber	16	0	0
" W. H. McClellan	1	5	0
" J. F. Raub	2	5	0
	224	0	0

REPORT OF TRIBES FOR THE TERM ENDING 30TH OF CORN MOON, G. S. D. 381.

TRIBES.	No.	Amount of receipts.	Expended for relief of brothers.	Expended for funeral benefits.	Expended for other purposes.	Tax paid Great Council.	Number of members.	Past Sachems.	Adopted.	Rejected.	Suspended.	Expelled.	Reinstated.	Admitted by card.	Withdrawn by card.	Deceased.
		fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.										
Tecumseh	1	711 0 5	154 0 0	....	431 1 3	28 7 0	153	12	23	1	2	..	..	1	..	..
Metamora	2	642 0 3	74 0 0	96 5 0	187 9 9	36 3 0	212	30	18	6	3	..	1	..	..	1
Leni Lenape	3	1700 8 4	427 0 0	350 0 0	284 6 6	51 0 5	302	7	23	..	34	..	..	..	..	3
Kuquenaku	4	160 1 2	....	....	144 2 4	14 0 5	77	11	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pocahontas	5	1926 8 3	332 0 0	125 0 0	973 8 6	49 7 0	318	45	8	..	7	..	..	1	..	1
Wyoming	7	315 5 4	41 0 0	20 0 0	136 0 0	18 1 5	101	20	12	..	12	..	1	..	..	..
Shawnese	8	322 6 8	95 0 0	....	175 0 8	17 4 5	108	24	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Osceola	11	271 2 5	....	....	58 0 2	19 5 0	70	4	36	6	..	..	..	..	..	..
Susquehanna	12	757 3 1	296 3 0	100 0 0	60 0 0	20 9 0	126	5	8	..	15	..	..	2	..	..
Perkiomen	13	350 5 0	204 0 0	....	96 7 7	16 6 0	104	9	4	1	5	..	..	..	..	..
Mohawk	14	367 0 4	164 0 0	130 0 0	183 3 2	20 4 0	121	22	9	..	3	..	..	..	7	2
Pontiac	15	871 4 0	100 0 0	35 5 0	388 6 1	26 9 5	163	16	10	..	14	..	..	..	..	..
Chattahoochee	17	125 2 4	37 5 0	25 0 0	33 5 3	6 3 0	42	19	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pequod	18	1228 4 1	929 0 0	200 0 0	407 1 4	64 1 5	411	37	10	1	3	..	1	..	..	1
Cherokee	19	1009 4 0	41 0 0	25 0 0	1134 5 9	22 7 0	143	29	5	..	4	..	..	2	..	..
Pawnee	20	182 7 4	10 0 0	....	137 6 2	12 6 0	79	10	3	..	13	..	..	..	..	..
Montezuma	21	244 9 6	1 0 0	....	236 7 0	17 5 5	57	2	36	2	..	..	..	1	..	..
Eeshahkonee	22	843 8 1	203 0 0	86 5 0	291 7 0	42 9 5	263	35	14	1	11	..	..	..	1	1
Black Hawk	26	427 8 4	109 0 0	50 0 0	315 1 7	19 9 5	123	21	6	..	7	..	1	..	..	1
Mohegan	27	587 1 8	238 0 0	....	350 0 8	25 0 4	166	25	2	..	3	..	5	..	5	..
Conestoga	28	161 7 5	44 0 0	....	252 9 3	11 2 5	70	13	3	1	10	..	..	..	..	..
Tuscarora	29	570 3 8	337 5 0	40 0 0	188 5 3	30 0 5	177	17	14	5	4	..	..	..	..	..
Seminole	30	409 5 8	148 0 0	75 0 0	263 6 3	20 4 0	126	20	6	..	14	..	..	..	..	1
Cayugas	31	514 0 7	45 5 0	15 0 0	326 1 2	16 1 0	106	18	1	..	8	..	..	..	..	..
Wissahickon	32	360 1 6	78 0 0	....	243 0 4	16 2 0	88	17	12	..	16	..	..	..	..	..
Wingohocking	33	1397 9 8	492 0 0	....	247 7 7	50 0 5	307	17	16	..	..	1	..	2	..	..
Moscosco	34	287 7 5	91 0 0	25 0 0	80 5 0	24 1 0	154	6	4	..	8	..	..	..	..	..
Winnebago	35	295 7 0	65 0 0	40 0 0	199 8 0	13 7 0	73	10	11	1	8	..	3	..	1	1
Conewago	37	980 9 7	181 5 0	40 0 0	1121 8 4	32 9 5	213	28	4	..	16	..	..	..	..	..
Sagoyewatha	38	432 6 8	193 0 0	75 0 0	63 6 3	23 1 0	149	13	3	..	3	..	3	..	..	1
Chiquesalungo	39	605 9 1	218 0 0	80 0 0	130 0 0	26 7 5	145	15	20	4	2	..	3	..	1	..
Oniska	40	73 0 9	....	....	28 3 3	5 4 5	28	3	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Seneca	41	351 3 5	113 5 0	....	172 0 1	22 5 0	145	19	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Iroquois	42	163 3 6	42 0 0	....	....	9 9 0	66	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Narragansett	43	319 4 5	27 0 0	....	237 3 3	15 7 5	100	16	3	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
Red Jacket	44	940 9 5	336 0 0	84 0 0	215 2 9	27 7 0	168	24	10	..	3	10	..	..	1	1

Mlantonomo	45	337 3 5	71 5 0	....	77 0 0	16 0 5	92	7	9	..	15	..	..	..	1	1
Uppowoc	47	157 8 2	35 0 0	....	80 5 9	8 8 0	57	18	1	..	2	..	..	..	1	..
Powhatan	48	380 0 0	326 0 0	50 0 0	58 8 7	21 8 5	144	21	1	..	4	..	..	..	1	..
Coaqnanock	49	516 5 7	399 0 0	100 0 0	98 8 3	16 7 5	110	20	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	2
Miquon	50	224 3 1	38 5 0	60 0 0	97 5 7	11 6 0	74	14	2	1	3	..	..	..	1	2
Chippewa	51	413 2 3	159 0 0	112 0 0	181 8 8	23 1 0	139	24	9	..	8	..	..	..	..	1
Camanchee	52	510 7 3	285 9 0	40 0 0	307 7 4	21 3 0	137	15	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Washita	53	1208 6 5	349 5 0	30 0 0	883 8 5	35 9 5	223	20	10	3	7	1	..	1	..	1
Wyandotte	54	175 7 2	78 0 0	....	207 4 0	10 8 5	64	9	5	..	6	..	..	..	..	..
Wyalusing	56	167 9 5	98 0 0	20 0 0	89 3 5	18 2 5	120	18	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Allegheny	57	879 3 6	483 0 0	174 2 5	302 4 7	37 1 5	231	14	10	..	2	1	1	..	1	1
Allequippa	58	485 5 1	40 0 0	20 0 0	251 4 9	10 1 0	54	6	8	..	8	..	..	..	..	..
Otsego	59	201 0 0	76 0 0	25 0 0	173 1 7	13 5 0	85	12	3	..	11	..	..	..	..	..
Kickenapawling	60	358 9 5	10 5 0	....	290 5 8	15 4 5	97	10	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Cornplanter	61	750 5 3	177 2 6	157 0 4	381 2 3	18 4 0	106	12	10	..	10	..	..	..	..	3
Beaver	62	426 1 8	61 0 0	30 0 0	84 2 8	24 9 5	148	9	11	3	7	..	..	..	..	..
Wawatam	63	173 8 7	123 5 0	....	69 1 4	10 8 0	72	9	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..
Ottowa	64	608 8 3	68 0 0	38 7 5	222 5 3	23 3 5	156	13	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kishacaquillas	65	122 9 3	3 0 0	....	70 2 5	8 6 0	44	6	8	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Kiskiminitas	66	439 4 9	54 0 0	....	140 0 7	18 8 5	114	8	7	..	12	..	2	..	1	..
Ongpatonga	67	263 4 7	3 0 0	....	67 2 4	16 6 0	94	10	10	2	8	..	2	..	..	1
Arrapahoe	68	382 9 5	53 0 0	60 0 0	284 7 4	12 2 5	75	12	4	1	7	1	1	..	1	1
Shohomokin	69	408 5 1	12 0 0	....	100 0 0	11 3 0	72	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Penobscot	70	438 7 4	59 0 0	25 0 0	189 8 2	23 5 0	140	11	10	..	10	..	..	..	1	..
Mattawana	71	96 5 6	7 0 0	25 0 0	28 0 0	8 7 0	53	6	3	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Tonnaluka	72	382 1 7	28 0 0	....	311 5 0	13 9 5	63	7	18	2	8	..	..	1	..	..
Idaho	73	845 9 5	193 8 0	100 0 0	426 9 3	32 5 0	210	9	4	..	12	..	..	..	..	2
Juniata	74	494 0 9	25 0 0	....	293 5 1	20 1 0	99	5	21	1	2	..	..	..	4	..
Winona	75	723 3 3	104 0 0	40 0 0	402 9 6	31 1 5	156	7	31	3	7	..	1	..	..	..
Nevada	76	800 0 8	306 0 4	150 0 0	495 1 0	39 3 5	244	15	11	..	10	..	2	2	..	2
Mahoning	77	462 9 7	105 0 0	....	270 6 3	27 0 5	147	9	20	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
Codorus	78	303 0 3	59 0 0	25 0 0	173 5 9	10 4 0	61	7	5	1	12	..	..	..	..	..
Minnewa	79	128 7 1	70 0 0	....	78 3 1	13 9 0	91	6	1	..	21	..	..	..	..	..
Swatara	80	32 2 2	....	....	22 2 0	5 1 0	31	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tonnawanda	81	455 9 5	110 0 0	20 0 0	354 8 7	12 6 5	76	10	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Miami	82	111 1 8	43 0 0	53 3 3	62 2 3	7 9 5	53	8	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..
Onondago	83	162 4 6	24 5 0	....	80 2 8	10 2 5	60	8	5	..	7	..	..	..	..	..
Saranac	84	540 9 7	198 0 0	50 0 0	292 9 7	20 2 5	120	9	9	3	4	..	..	..	..	3
Tamany	85	86 6 9	26 0 0	....	67 6 8	5 3 5	29	6	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Lenni	86	359 1 6	114 0 0	50 0 0	221 3 3	19 4 5	118	7	7	2	5	..	1	..	..	1
Sioux	87	1126 5 5	283 0 0	60 0 0	275 1 6	46 9 0	286	9	16	..	29	..	2	..	..	1
Kittatinny	88	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waunepewink	89	73 2 9	....	....	72 8 0	7 5 0	50	5	..	..	12	..	..	..	..	..
Kickapoo	90	157 3 5	....	....	39 0 9	9 2 0	58	8	2	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Octararo	91	806 5 3	181 0 0	50 0 0	465 6 1	28 7 0	158	8	20	3	12	..	2	..	..	..

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		fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.	fa. ft. in.										
Wopwollopen	92	272 2 7	237 0 0	30 0 0	....	12 9 0	81	6	3	..	16	1	..	..	..	1
Conewingo	93	738 6 3	264 2 2	215 0 0	93 6 6	27 3 5	154	9	17	..	6	..	1	..	1	..
Honayawus	94	221 5 0	12 5 0	....	184 2 0	10 3 5	59	8	6	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Otzinachson	95	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Juskakaka	96	212 6 5	96 0 0	....	92 5 0	13 6 5	66	8	15	2	..	..	..	1	..	..
Malaeska	97	72 2 2	....	....	60 4 0	5 8 0	27	6	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Alpharetta	98	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Standing Stone	99	169 6 0	53 0 0	15 0 0	144 2 6	9 7 5	60	6	3	..	7	..	..	..	..	..
Yo Semite	100	254 5 5	22 0 0	....	26 5 9	12 3 5	69	5	8	..	3	..	..	..	..	..
Uncas	101	48 7 8	5 0 0	....	2 0 0	6 1 5	41	7	..	..	8	1	..	..	..	..
Bald Eagle	102	157 3 2	42 0 0	....	105 2 8	10 9 5	63	5	6	..	7	1	..	..	..	..
Youghiogheny	103	320 8 0	35 0 0	....	75 9 4	14 2 5	85	7	6	1	2	..	..	..	..	..
Absaraka	104	673 9 1	170 5 1	50 0 0	100 0 0	20 7 0	128	7	6	..	10	..	..	..	2	1
Navajo	105	413 5 2	....	....	296 9 3	14 6 0	64	4	20	1	20	1	..	..	..	..
Chingachqook	106	163 8 5	49 0 0	....	94 1 7	15 8 0	97	3	5	5	3	1	..	..	..	..
Saukie	107	607 2 3	146 0 0	150 0 0	169 3 7	21 1 0	139	7	1	..	5	..	1	1	4	2
Conodogwinit	108	176 7 0	44 8 0	....	78 3 7	12 3 0	77	6	3	3	2	1	..	..	..	1
Red Warrior	109	259 0 5	49 0 0	....	308 0 6	11 4 0	76	6	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Lackawanna	110	338 0 0	....	....	369 1 8	10 6 0	69	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Minnehaha	111	295 6 0	....	....	....	11 0 5	72	6	1	..	7	..	..	..	..	..
Nemocalling	112	128 3 3	81 0 0	....	79 6 9	8 6 5	56	6	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Osage	113	254 4 0	25 0 0	30 0 0	209 3 0	16 7 0	98	5	8	1	13	..	1	..	1	..
Chickasaw	114	230 5 5	36 0 0	....	....	13 6 0	79	6	7	..	4	..	1	..	..	..
Itah	115	219 2 9	11 0 0	....	150 9 3	12 8 0	72	2	8	..	4	..	..	..	4	..
Quœkelinik	116	607 7 7	139 0 0	....	205 8 6	20 5 5	112	6	15	..	16	..	..	..	..	..
Teedyuscung	117	173 7 0	119 0 0	50 0 0	50 1 0	9 7 5	58	4	4	..	7	..	..	..	1	1
Manaiung	118	449 1 5	106 0 0	50 0 0	158 9 6	20 1 0	129	7	3	..	6	..	..	..	..	..
Wahoo	119	385 8 3	150 0 0	40 0 0	140 0 0	6 0 0	68	5	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Kiowas	120	180 8 8	15 0 0	....	78 5 8	10 3 5	54	4	9	..	6	..	..	..	1	..
Catawissa	121	121 0 8	27 0 0	....	94 1 7	7 8 5	49	5	2	..	1	..	..	..	1	..
Opekasset	122	195 9 1	42 6 6	....	111 5 6	13 0 5	62	4	15	..	..	..	..	..	8	..
Wampanoag	123	132 1 5	98 0 0	....	54 0 0	7 5 5	47	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mingo	124	21 7 5	12 5 0	....	36 3 3	3 3 0	22	3	..	..	9	..	..	..	..	..
Manitobah	125	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cohocksink	126	152 2 4	30 0 0	....	62 1 2	9 0 0	60	5	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Mohican	127	958 5 3	102 0 0	100 0 0	101 4 9	19 8 0	122	4	6	1	..	..	..	3	..	1

Maconaquah	128	218 1 8	5 0 0	....	206 3 9	8 1 5	51	5	5	..	8	..	..	..	2	..
Catoctin	129	150 0 9	10 5 0	....	103 0 9	9 7 0	63	5	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
Minnequa	130	105 7 5	5 0 0	....	45 0 0	6 4 0	41	4	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Sawquehanna	131	64 1 4	....	....	49 0 2	3 7 0	18	4	4	..	20	..	..	..	..	..
Nescopec	132	263 1 6	333 5 0	30 0 0	45 2 5	12 0 0	110	1	1	..	2	1	..	..	21	..
Wissinoming	133	228 5 3	32 0 0	40 0 0	112 2 9	11 3 5	64	6	7	..	13	..	..	..	2	1
Yemasse	134	288 2 0	....	....	51 5 0	12 5 0	80	4	46	2	12	..	..	4	..	..
Weccacoe	135	331 8 0	48 0 0	70 0 0	111 4 6	8 1 5	46	4	5	..	6	..	1	..	..	1
Quittapahilla	136	35 7 5	....	58 3 0	94 1 0	8 2 5	55	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Venango	137	643 0 5	20 0 0	....	343 2 3	9 8 5	59	2	4	..	16	1	..	..	3	..
Shakahappo	138	617 9 8	142 0 0	100 0 0	198 2 6	36 4 0	146	5	58	2	4	..	..	1	..	2
Passyunk	139	1101 6 1	113 0 0	210 0 0	350 8 9	58 4 0	346	5	26	..	22	..	..	..	..	4
Nay Aug	140	353 6 5	115 0 0	....	16 7 6	19 6 0	124	5	4	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Panooka	141	601 5 7	83 0 0	....	414 2 0	13 4 5	88	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Accomac	142	292 0 0	41 6 2	....	....	10 1 5	61	3	4	..	..	1	..	..	1	..
Monongahela	143	367 6 5	70 0 0	....	145 6 4	11 7 5	65	3	8	2	2	..	..	..	4	..
Massasoit	144	346 8 5	....	....	202 1 3	21 0 5	106	2	21	..	9	..	..	..	..	..
Poutaxet	145	420 7 5	198 0 0	50 0 0	169 0 9	32 4 5	153	6	38	..	6	..	..	..	..	2
P'Sskemuquohiki	146	273 8 5	15 0 0	....	96 4 0	10 7 5	60	4	7	1	8	..	..	1	1	..
French Creek	147	668 0 6	144 0 0	60 0 0	179 0 9	24 1 0	139	3	13	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Shickalamy	148	346 6 9	102 5 0	80 0 0	120 0 0	18 2 5	120	4	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	1
Mocaponaca	149	451 1 5	....	....	394 6 7	19 2 0	98	7	18	2	..	..	..	..	..	1
Red Cloud	150	98 0 3	46 0 0	30 0 0	67 7 2	10 1 5	51	3	10	..	6	..	..	1	..	1
Mahanoy	151	1006 7 8	598 0 0	200 0 0	581 8 8	30 7 0	203	2	1	1	24	..	..	..	1	2
Chillisquaqua	152	154 3 0	15 0 0	....	97 5 7	8 2 5	50	4	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Wawenoc	153	264 6 9	....	....	199 6 4	8 1 0	39	4	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lappawinzoe	154	165 5 5	....	....	105 9 8	8 7 0	48	4	6	3	..	..	..	1	..	..
Shenandoah	155	880 3 0	82 0 0	50 0 0	727 8 9	35 1 5	226	4	5	..	2	2	..	..	..	..
Mahontonga	156	311 9 7	76 5 0	....	474 0 6	10 5 5	62	2	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Alletah	157	189 0 9	....	....	134 5 1	11 5 0	55	4	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Aqushicola	158	261 7 5	....	....	232 0 2	9 6 0	44	3	12	5	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ockohocking	159	393 7 9	....	....	103 4 2	17 0 0	95	4	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Neasham	160	129 0 9	....	....	105 1 1	6 3 0	36	3	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Arrasapha	161	164 9 0	27 0 0	....	120 5 9	14 0 0	65	2	17	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Champiola	162	174 0 0	....	32 0 0	142 0 7	13 7 0	58	2	20	5	..	1	..	..	..	1
Cussawago	163	1102 8 2	41 3 0	....	640 8 1	38 2 0	118	3	82	14	..	..	..	..	27	..
Hodenausonee	164	230 1 0	13 0 0	....	113 8 5	7 7 0	38	2	8	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wannetta	165	298 0 1	14 0 0	....	361 3 5	9 6 0	44	3	12	3	..	..	..	1	..	..
Lécha	166	278 0 7	70 0 0	....	123 3 9	10 1 5	46	2	13	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ganeodiyo	167	355 2 1	10 0 0	....	335 9 8	13 6 5	71	2	12	5	..	..	..	..	1	..
Tinicum	168	367 8 5	....	....	348 3 4	10 5 5	37	2	20	2	..	..	..	..	3	..
Washtella	169	170 8 0	....	....	157 0 5	8 8 5	31	2	17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Red Wing	170	205 8 8	....	....	172 7 1	18 0 0	45	2	45	4	..	..	..	..	..	..
Poho Poco	171	240 4 0	1 0 0	....	272 7 2	11 6 5	56	2	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wawaset	172	382 9 5	....	....	62 6 7	11 5 0	45	2	19	3	..	..	..	..	..	1

REPORT OF TRIBES—*Continued.*

TRIBES.	No.	Amount of receipts.	Expended for relief of brothers.	Expended for funeral benefits.	Expended for other purposes.	Tax paid Great Council.	Number of members.	Past Sachems.	Adopted.	Rejected.	Suspended.	Expelled.	Reinstated.	Admitted by card.	Withdrawn by card.	Deceased.
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Tuckalula	173	362 6 2	....	....	309 2 9	16 7 5	40	2	43	3	..	..	..	2	5	..
Sankanac	174	239 3 0	....	....	....	14 8 0	37	2	37	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Shenango	175	407 0 0	3 0 0	....	388 7 3	15 1 0	39	2	37	2	..	..	..	2	..	..
Tohikon	176	271 7 5	....	....	176 4 3	19 0 0	51	2	49	6	..	..	..	2	..	..
Wesquenesque	177	333 0 5	2 0 0	....	299 5 0	13 2 0	33	2	33	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pokanoket	178	448 5 7	....	....	391 9 0	21 9 0	56	1	54	1	..	..	..	2	..	..
Toughkenamon	179	281 0 5	....	....	241 1 4	14 4 0	36	2	36	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Oneko	180	735 2 5	....	....	553 2 4	16 7 0	53	2	35	..	..	..	..	18	..	..
Tulpehocken	181	201 4 5	....	....	80 8 0	13 0 0	40	4	28	2	..	..	..	12	..	..
Opawgun Mokkeetay	182	191 7 0	....	....	138 2 5	10 3 0	27	2	25	..	..	..	..	2	..	..
Minnekaunee	183	471 6 0	....	....	413 7 5	16 7 0	43	2	41	..	..	..	..	2	..	..
Waubansia	184	337 2 0	....	....	....	23 2 0	58	2	58	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Oswego	185	233 5 5	....	....	215 9 5	8 2 5	36	..	33	1	..	..	..	3	..	..
Ogalala	186	364 8 9	....	....	278 4 2	12 0 0	48	..	48	4	..	..	..	..	1	..
Mineola	187	70 2 5	....	....	31 5 0	4 2 5	24	1	17	..	..	..	..	7	..	..
Montour	188	175 0 0	....	....	51 2 5	1 0 0	31	..	4	..	..	..	..	27	..	..
Leni Lenape D. C.	1	133 7 9	50 0 0	30 0 0	63 7 2	4 8 0	32	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Algonquin D. C.	2	47 0 0	68 0 0	20 0 0	13 5 1	3 3 0	22	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pocahontas D. C.	3	184 0 3	15 0 0	....	67 7 9	7 2 0	48	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
St. Tammany D. C.	4	182 1 8	114 0 0	....	80 7 4	9 0 0	60	..	4	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Delaware D. C.	5	115 3 5	12 0 0	....	72 4 3	4 5 0	30	..	4	..	3	..	..	..	..	2

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DIRECTORY OF THE IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN OF PENNSYLVANIA.

TRIBES.	NO.	SLEEP.	LOCATION.	PLACE OF MEETING.	CHIEF OF RECORDS.	POST OFFICE ADDRESS.
Tecumseh	1	Thursday	Norristown	Cor. Egypt and Cherry Sts., Norristown	John H. Hartzell	Norristown.
Metamora	2	Wednesday	Lancaster	Fulton Hall, Prince Street	John M. Kempf	Lancaster, No. 21 N. Mary St.
Leni Lenape	3	Friday	Philadelphia	Corner Second and Susquehanna Avenue	Isaac A. Davis	2057 Germantown Avenue.
Kuquenaku	4	Tuesday	"	N. W. cor. Seventh and Girard Avenue	Gotlieb Ubele	905 North Third Street.
*Pocahontas	5	Thursday	"	N. W. cor. Fourth and Walnut Sts	Fr. Aug. Buchman	610 Hallowell Street.
Wyoming	7	Wednesday	"	" " "	Jacob L. Reiff	237 Mifflin Street.
Shawnese	8	Friday	"	" " "	C. A. Winkworth	1237 Market Street.
Osceola	11	Thursday	Columbia	Locust Street above Front	Peter A. Krodel	Columbia.
Susquehanna	12	Friday	Harrisburg	No. 304 North Second Street	T. P. Montgomery	7 S. Third St., Harrisburg.
Perkiomen	13	Thursday	Phœnixville	Corner of Main and Hall	E. K. Ramsey	Phoenixville, Box 254.
*Mohawk	14	Friday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	John H. Passau	1333 Prospect Street.
*Pontiac	15	Wednesday	Pittsburg	No. 67 Fifth Avenue	Charles Frasch	163 Smithfield Street.
Chattahoochee	17	Tuesday	Philadelphia	Cor. Girard Avenue and Charlotte St	J. B. Flemming	1206 North Front Street.
Pequod	18	Thursday	"	Mechanics' Hall, 6th and Germantown Av.	Thomas J. Rice	2533 Lee Street.
Cherokee	19	Thursday	"	No. 1133 Parrish Street	Joseph P. Young	2317 Ridge Avenue.
Pawnee	20	Tuesday	"	605 Arch Street	George Bertram	2130 Summer Street.
Montezuma	21	Friday	"	Corner of Twelfth and Montgomery Av	George Heimach	1714 Alder Street.
Ecshahkonee	22	Monday	Lancaster	Fulton Hall, Prince Street	Peter C. Hensel	E. King St., Lancaster.
Black Hawk	26	Tuesday	Philadelphia	Norris and Sepviva Streets	Robert H. Kinkead	Rear 88 Laurel Street.
Mohegan	27	Monday	"	N. W. cor. Eighth and Spring Garden Sts	E. F. Stewart	1546 N. Thirteenth Street.
Conestoga	28	Tuesday	Williamsport	Morse's Hall	Geo. W. Klump	Williamsport, Box 1193.
Tuscarora	29	Monday	Chester	Corner Fourth and Market Sts	Wm. Kelly	Chester, Del. Co. Box 253.
Seminole	30	Tuesday	Germantown	Stokes Hall, Mill St	Francis Rodbard	118 Haines Street.
Cayugas	31	Friday	Gettysburg	McConaughy's Hall	Wm. B. Meals	Gettysburg.
Wissahickon	32	Tuesday	Philadelphia	No. 1530 Ridge Avenue	Samuel L. Stem	1509 Opal Street.
Wingohocking	33	Friday	Frankford	Odd Fellows' Hall	George Burns	16 Green Street.
Moscosco	34	Friday	Philadelphia	Corner Thirty-Seventh and Market Sts	Henry Fite	3710 Warren Street.
Winnebago	35	Tuesday	Altoona	Shannon's Hall	S. F. Rupert	Altoona, Box 970.
Conewago	37	Wednesday	York	Washington Hall	John Hays	Box 213, York.
Sagoyewatha	38	Monday	Philadelphia	Girard Avenue and Charlotte Street	George M. Brooke	1207 Savery Street.
Chiquesalungo	39	Tuesday	Columbia	Odd Fellows' Hall	L. M. Williams	Columbia, Box 257.
Oniska	40	Monday	East Berlin	....	Michael McSherry	East Berlin, Adams County.
Seneca	41	Thursday	Pottsville	Town Hall	Joseph C. Holt	Pottsville, Box 437.
Iroquois	42	Monday	Patterson	....	Ben F. Kepner	Mifflintown, Juniata Co.
Narraganset	43	Friday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	R. S. Monroe	231 Girard Avenue.
*Red Jacket	44	Friday	Lancaster	Fulton Hall, Prince Street	Aug. D. Kohler	339 N. Lime Street.
Miantonomo	45	Wednesday	Philadelphia	Thirteenth and Girard Avenue	Geo. W. Kreamer	510 North Eleventh Street.
Uppowoe	47	Tuesday	West Chester	S. W. cor Gay and High Sts	Norris T. Smith	Box 350, West Chester.
Powhatan	48	Thursday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts	John C. Moore	1414 North Fifth Street.
Coaquanock	49	Friday	"	Broadway Hall, Broad and Spring Garden	James L. Poynton	Rear 1110 Marks Lane.
Miquon	50	Wednesday	"	Odd Fellows' Hall, Ridge Avenue & 23d St.	Wm. G. Hollis	1718 Woodstock Street.

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Chippewa	51	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	Corner Tenth and South Streets	J. T. Akin	1015 Clement Street.
Camanchee	52	Monday	"	G. I. Eng. House, Allen ab. Frankford R'd.	Thomas D. Rulon	1500 Vienna Street.
Washita	53	Saturday	Conshohocken.	Stemple's Hall	John P. Armitage	Conshohocken, Box 47.
Wyandotte	54	Friday	Oxford	Central Avenue and Locust Street	James Black	Oxford, Chester County.
Wyalusing	56	Friday	Philadelphia	Odd Fellows' Hall, Falls of Schuylkill	Wm. Robinson	Falls of Schuylkill.
*Allegheny	57	Monday	Allegheny City.	N. E. cor. East and First Sts	Vinzenz Morath	No Avery Street.
Allequippa	58	Monday	Pittsburg	A. P. A. Hall, No. 52 Fifth Avenue	W. S. McDowell	Rear 109 Fourth Avenue.
Otsego	59	Friday	Mount Joy	....	Eli H. Shreiner	Mount Joy, Box 21.
*Kickenapawling	60	Saturday	Johnstown	Clinton and R. R.	H. Viering	Johnstown, Box, 270.
*Cornplanter	61	Monday	Harrisburg	No. 304 North Second St.	Conrad Miller	River Alley near Pine St.
Beaver	62	Tuesday	Norristown	Thomas Hall, Main Street	Joseph M. Linker	Norristown.
Wawatam	63	Thursday	Roxborough	Odd Fellows' Hall	Charles F. Hardick.	Roxborough.
*Ottowa	64	Saturday	Birmingham	Druid's Hall, corner Carson and McKee	Wm. Wilhelm	Buchanan P. O., Box 295.
Kishacaquillas	65	Saturday	Conestoga C'r.	....	Benj. F. Hookey	Conestoga C'r, Lane. Co.
Kiskiminitas	66	Thursday	Johnstown	Clinton and R. R.	L. D. Woodruff	Johnstown.
Ongpatonga	67	Friday	Lewistown	Odd Fellows' Hall	John Hamilton	Lewistown.
Arrapahoe	68	Thursday	Huntingdon	Red Men's Hall	D. E. McMurtrie	Huntingdon, Box 28.
Shohomokin	69	Thursday	Sunbury	....	Peter F. Hower	Sunbury.
Penobseot	70	Thursday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts.	Wm. W. Shepherd	S. E. cor. 7th and Jefferson.
Mattawana	71	Tuesday	McVeytown	....	A. H. Bortel	McVeytown.
Tonnaluka	72	Wednesday.	Irwin Station	....	B. B. Copeland	Irwin Station, W. Co.
Idaho	73	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	Southwark Library Hall, 2d and German	Thomas H. Bacon	216 Greenwich Street.
Juniata	74	Thursday	Reading	322 Penn Street	Wm. Maicks	124 S. Fourth St., Reading.
Winona	75	Thursday	Pottstown	Market Hall	H. R. Bossert	Pottstown, Box 202.
Nevada	76	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	A. P. A. Hall, Frankford Road and Master.	John F. Little	45 North Second Street.
Mahoning	77	Thursday	Danville	Montgomery's Building, Mill St.	John C. Millhouse	Danville, Box 46.
*Codorus	78	Tuesday	York	Hartman's Building, Centre Square	John Pfifferling	York.
Minnewa	79	Tuesday	Philadelphia	Broad and Arch Streets	Harry Lang	821 Wood Street.
Swatara	80	Monday	N. Hamilton	....	James M. Graham	Newton Hamilton, M. C.
Tonnawanda	81	Wednesday.	Media	Corner of State and Orange Streets	Jorrell L. Kelly	Media, Box 113.
Miami	82	Tuesday	Cressona	....	J. W. Smith	Cressona.
Onondaga	83	Monday	Coatesville	Masonic Hall	L. H. Humphrey	Coatesville, Chester Co.
Saranac	84	Wednesday.	Easton	S. W. cor. Centre Square	James D. Smith	Phillipsburg, N. J.
*Tamany	85	Wednesday.	Altoona	Shannon's Hall	George Bleiler	Altoona, Box 453.
Lenni	86	Thursday	Lenni	....	John Collier	Lenni, Delaware Co.
Sioux	87	Wednesday.	Philadelphia	Sixth and Christian Streets	Francis B. Black	203 Christian Street.
Kittatinny	88	Wednesday.	Marysville	....	Wm. W. Jackson	Marysville.
Waunepewink	89	Monday	Shrewsbury	....	Thomas T. Benton	Shrewsbury, Box 5.
Kickapoo	90	Wednesday.	Gordon	....	Thomas Rasbridge	Gordon.
Octoraro	91	Tuesday	Harrisburg	Corner of Second and State Streets	John R. Cockly	1035 Elder St., Harrisburg.
Wopwollopen	92	Wednesday.	Berwick	Odd Fellows' Hall	M. Thornton	Berwick.

Conewingo	93	Friday	York	Washington Hall	Thomas Ramsey	York, Box 181.
Honayawus	94	Tuesday	Bloomsburg	....	Henry Shipton	Bloomsburg.
Otzinachson	95	Monday	Lock Haven	....	Samuel Tresher	Lock Haven.
Juskakaka	96	Thursday	Duncannon	Odd Fellows' Hall	Philip F. Michener	Duncannon.
Malaeska	97	Wednesday	Clarion	....	T. B. Richard	Clarion.
Alpharetta	98	Thursday	Millerstown	....	.....	Millerstown.
Standing Stone	99	Saturday	Mapleton	....	H. D. Kauffman	Mapleton.
Yo Semite	100	Monday	Glen Rock	....	A. W. Gray	Glen Rock.
Uncas	101	Monday	Waynesboro	....	J. L. Weagly	Waynesboro'.
Bald Eagle	102	Thursday	Tyrone	....	John A. Boyer	Tyrone, Box 316.
Youghiogheny	103	Wednesday	Birmingham	Druid's Hall	B. N. McCoy, Jr.	Buchanan P. O., Lock Box 12.
Absaraka	104	Tuesday	Philadelphia	Corner Thirty-Seventh and Market Sts	H. J. Stoner	Holly St., near Hutton.
Navajo	105	Tuesday	Scranton	105 Lackawanna Avenue	J. B. Payne	Scranton, Box 755.
Chingachgook	106	Monday	Mauch Chunk	Odd Fellows' Hall	Robert S. Calvin	Mauch Chunk.
Saukie	107	Friday	Ashland	Corner Third and Centre Streets	Thomas Giles	Ashland, Box 17.
Conodogwinit	108	Thursday	Carlisle	Volunteer Building, S. E. cor. Square	Thomas H. Ramsey	Carlisle.
Red Warrior	109	Tuesday	Philipsburg	....	Wm. R. Hemphill	Philipsburg.
Lackawanna	110	Thursday	Plymouth	Smith's Opera House	James Lewis	Plymouth.
Minnehaha	111	Tuesday	Brookville	....	James T. Carroll	Brookville.
Nemocalling	112	Wednesday	Brownsville	Head of Main Street	James M. Hucheson	West Brownsville.
Osage	113	Thursday	Philadelphia	Kater Hall, Fifteenth and South Sts	T. R. Buchanan	1504 Federal Street.
Chickasaw	114	Thursday	Charlestown	....	Joseph McClaskey	Pickering P. O.
Itah	115	Friday	Allegheny City	161 Federal Street	John C. Gasten	201 Penn St., Pittsburg.
Quockelinik	116	Wednesday	Philadelphia	313 North Twentieth Street	Robert G. Stewart	2048 Reeves Street.
Teedyuscung	117	Tuesday	Mount Bethel	....	J. F. Raub	Mount Bethel.
Manaiung	118	Friday	Manayunk,	A. M. Hall	Samuel Grow	309 Green Lane.
Wahoo	119	Tuesday	Kingston	....	J. G. McConoghy	Kingston.
Kiowas	120	Monday	Hazelton	Hazle Hall	A. T. Wenner	Hazleton, Box 128.
Catawissa	121	Monday	Catawissa	Corner of Second and Main Streets	Thomas E. Harder	Cattawissa.
*Opekasset	122	Saturday	Reading	Geissler's Hall, Penn Street	Francis Habich	714 N. Eighth St., Reading.
Wampanoag	123	Friday	Audenried	....	S. D. Watkins	Audenried.
Mingo	124	Tuesday	Beavertown	....	Isaac D. Conrad	Beavertown.
Manitobah	125	Wednesday	Nazareth	....	J. J. Maus	Nazareth.
*Cohocksink	126	Tuesday	Philadelphia	N. E. cor. Ninth and Callowhill Sts	And. Weingartner	1131 Galloway Street.
Mohican	127	Monday	Bristol	Corner of Mill and Pond Streets	Thos. B. Douglass	Bristol.
Maconaquah	128	Monday	Wilkesbarre	127 Market Street	J. E. Valentine,	Wilkesbarre, Lock Box 89.
Catoctin	129	Monday	Littlestown	School Building, Hanover Street	George B. Myers	Littlestown.
Minnequa	130	Thursday	Williamsport	Corner Arch and Elm Streets	C. L. Adams	Newberry P. O.
Sawquehanna	131	Thursday	Shippensburg	....	J. B. Reddig	Shippensburg.
Nescopec	132	Wednesday	Laurel Run	....	James Ashford	Parsons.
Wissinoming	133	Wednesday	Philadelphia	N. W. cor. Ridge Avenue and Coates St	Charles H. Moss	Pennsylvania Av. & Coates.
Yemassee	134	Thursday	Girardville	....	Thomas J. Lewis	Girardville.
*Weccacoe	135	Friday	Philadelphia	Pine Street above Second	Her. E. Bitterlich	1023 Federal Street.
Quittapahilla	136	Thursday	Lebanon	Odd Fellows' Hall	Wm. G. Ward	Lebanon, Box 315.
Venango	137	Thursday	Oil City	Odd Fellows' Hall	J. L. Dorworth	Oil City, Box 101.

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Shakahappo	138	Wednesday.	Frankford	Odd Fellows' Hall	Milton Frederick	4425 Paul Street.
Passyunk	139	Friday	Philadelphia	Southwark Library Hall, 2d and German.	Latimer B. Bisbee	1206 Moyamensing Avenue.
*Nay Aug	140	Thursday	Scranton	105 Lackawanna Avenue	George Engel	Scranton, Box 592.
Panooka	141	Wednesday.	Scranton	Co-operative Building, Hyde Park	Lewis Hancock	Hyde Park.
Accomac	142	Saturday	Belle Vernon	....	Wm. Henry Jones	Belle Vernon, Box 59.
Monongahela	143	Thursday	Dravosburg	....	E. Hagen	Dravosburg.
Massasoit	144	Friday	Philadelphia	605 Arch Street	Horatio N. Walker.	142½ South Fourth Street.
Poutaxet	145	Wednesday.	"	Friendship Hall, Norris and Sepviva Sts.	Harry Buscher	726 E. Norris Street.
P'Sskemuquohiki	146	Saturday	East Brady	....	J. M. Rankin	Catfish.
French Creek	147	Wednesday.	Franklin	....	A. F. Wenzell	Franklin.
Shickalamy	148	Friday	Shamokin	Odd Fellows' Hall	L. W. Rittenhouse	Shamokin.
Mocaponaca	149	Wednesday.	Chester	Corner Second and Kerlin Streets	B. F. Bucha	Chester, Box 477.
Red Cloud	150	Wednesday.	Roxbury	....	S. Sentman	Roxbury.
Mahanoy	151	Monday	Mahanoy City	Corner Centre and Main Streets	Henry L. Pettet	Mahanoy City.
Chillisquaqua	152	Monday	Northumberl'd	....	D. M. Evans	Northumberland.
Wawenoc	153	Tuesday	Watsontown	....	G. M. Kissinger	Watsontown.
Lappawinzoe	154	Friday	Bethlehem	....	J. B. Kemerer	Bethlenem.
Shenandoah	155	Wednesday.	Shenandoah	....	Wm. T. Richards	Box 85, Shenandoah.
Mahantongo	156	Monday	Mount Carmel.	....	Wm. M. Edward	Mount Carmel.
Alletah	157	Friday	Philadelphia	3512 Haverford Street	J. Newton Lytle	3517 Lancaster Avenue.
Aquashicola	158	Wednesday.	Slatington	Mack's Hall	J. M. Roberts	Slatington.
Ockohocking	159	Monday	Newtown Sqr.	....	James J. Sproul	Newtown Square.
Neasham	160	Wednesday.	Southamptonv.	....	C. S. Fetter	Davisville.
Arrasapha	161	Thursday	Garrettford	....	James Lomas	Garrettford, Upper Darby.
Champiola	162	Wednesday.	Blairsville	....	A. A. Hibbs	Blairsville, Box 137.
Cussawago	163	Wednesday.	Titusville	Odd Fellows' Hall	A. T. F. Lima	Box 901, Titusville.
Hodenausonee	164	Tuesday	Dawson	....	Charles Cheyney	Dawson.
Wannetta	165	Friday	Emlenton	....	James U. Ogden	Emlenton.
Lecha	166	Monday	E. M. Chunk	....	J. M. Driesbach	East Mauch Chunk.
Ganeodiyo	167	Friday	Erie	Presque Isle Hall, 508 State Street	Wm. M. Cole	Erie.
Tinicum	168	Saturday	Uhlertown	....	Wm. S. Major	Frenchtown, N. J.
Washtella	169	Monday	Middletown	....	Aaron Wisler	Bigler P. O.
Red Wing	170	Thursday	Middletown	....	George H. McNeal	Middletown, Box 44.
Poho Poco	171	Wednesday.	Weissport	....	D. F. Rickert	Weissport.
Wawaset	172	Thursday	Linwood	....	J. F. Hendrickson	Linwood.
Tuckalula	173	Friday	Rouseville	....	LeRoy Higgins	Rouseville, Box 297.
Sankanac	174	Tuesday	Uwchlan	....	Wm. K. Mosteller	West Vincent, P. O.
Shenango	175	Wednesday.	Meadville	K. of P. Hall	Henry McCoy	Meadville, Box 686.
Tohikon	176	Wednesday.	Point Pleasant.	Odd Fellows' Hall	Samuel Farrell	Point Pleasant.
Wesquenesque	177	Wednesday.	Wiconisco	....	Harper Hochlander.	Wiconisco.
Pokanoket	178	Friday	Narrowsville	....	Wm. T. Foust	Kintnersville.

Toughkenamon	179	Friday	Avondale	....	....	....	John James	Avondale.
Oneko	180	Monday	Parsons	....	....	....	A. C. Johnson	Parsons.
Tulpehocken	181	Tuesday	Reading	....	....	....	W. M. Saylor	517 Penn St., Reading.
Opawgun Mokkeetay	182	Tuesday	Broad Top	....	....	....	Edward Jones	Broad Top City.
Minnekaunee	183	Thursday	Petroleum C'r.	....	....	....	Samuel Reynolds	Petroleum Centre.
Waubansia	184	Monday	Buena Vista	....	....	....	W. L. Douglass	93 Diamond St., Pittsburg.
Oswego	185	Thursday	Coultersville	....	....	....	Alex. Thomson	Youghiogheny, Box 29.
Ogalala	186	Friday	Warren	....	....	....	George P. Orr	Warren.
*Mineola	187	Monday	Philadelphia	Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George Sts.			John Krug	1220 Germantown Avenue.
Montour	188	Tuesday	Titusville	K. of P. Hall			D. W. Neilds	Box 970, Titusville.
*White Cloud	189	Saturday	Allegheny	261 and 263 Ohio Street			Jacob Schlegel	224 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburg.
Kawanio Chee Keteru	190	Wednesday	Philadelphia	Lincoln Market, Broad and Coates Sts.			J. David Miller	54 North Sixth Street.
Leni Lenape D.C.	1	2d & 4th Tu.	Philadelphia	S. W. cor. Tenth and Filbert Sts			Wm. Alchin	1105 Ridge Avenue.
Algonquin D. C.	2	2d & 4th Th.	York	Washington Hall			John Hays	York.
Pocahontas D. C.	3	2d Thursday	Philadelphia	N. W. cor. Fourth and Walnut Sts			John H. Passau	1333 Prospect Street.
St. Tammany D.C.	4	2d & 4th Th.	Lancaster	Fulton Hall			H. W. Villee	244 South Queen Street.
Delaware, D. C.	5	2d & 4th Sat.	Easton	S. W. corner Centre Square			James D. Smith	Phillisburg, N. J.
Oconee, D. C.	6	.....	Titusville	....	....	....	.....	

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COUNTIES.	DEPUTY GREAT SACHEMS.		POST OFFICE ADDRESS.	TRIBES.
Adams	John L. Holtzworth,	No. 31,	Gettysburg	31, 40, 129, 169.
Berks and Lebanon	O. B. Keller,	" 74,	Reading	74, 122, 136, 181.
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THE IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN,

ITS ORIGIN, OBJECT, AND PRINCIPLES,

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WHATEVER concerns the origin and history of those institutions designed by their founders to confer great and important benefits upon mankind is worthy of preservation—possessing a peculiar charm for philanthropic minds, and affording them a profitable and ever-pleasing theme for contemplation. It is the object of this brief paper, therefore, to present in an accessible and connected form the more prominent of those facts, which the writer, through the course of a long official career, has been able to learn from the lips of men who were participants in the circumstances they relate; to gather from musty but disconnected papers preserved in the archives, or scattered elsewhere; and to collect from authentic records such incidents as will best illustrate the origin and history, as well as develop the object and principles of an Order long existing in our midst, and which, though silent in its operation, and unostentatious in its pretentions, has, nevertheless, been an effective and unceasing worker in the cause of Benevolence, Charity, and Fraternity.

Those who have preserved the traditions of this organization, inform us that it owes its existence to the volunteers who garrisoned Fort Mifflin, on the Delaware River, opposite Red Bank, during the war of 1812–15. The agents of our national enemy, during that eventful period, were sent hither by the mother country for the known purpose of establishing "secret societies," hoping through their agency and influence to succeed the more surely in producing discord and strife among our countrymen. Nor, indeed, were they altogether unsuccessful in their undertaking; for, in a comparatively short time afterwards, party strife and party animosity raged in their wildest fury; so that neighbor was arrayed against neighbor, brother against brother, and father against son, in deadly political enmity; and soon this same spirit of antagonism was manifested among the members of the garrison.

Fortunately, however, there were not wanting those who were both capable and willing to lead a movement to produce harmony, and maintain the unity of the garrison—true spirits, and stout hearts, whose patriotism raised them above the machinations of party, and who were willing to make any sacrifice in behalf of their country. In this dark hour of our country's trial, we are told a council of volunteers was called for the purpose of forming a "friendly society," the object of which should be to "dispel discord and disseminate friendship."

Being military men, it was natural that under the first impulse of the moment they should prepare a "muster-roll," on which to enter the names of those willing to become members of the proposed organization. But all organizations of men must have some distinctive title by which they may wish to be known to the world around them, and which is usually expressive of the object they aim to accomplish; or commemorative of some great event, or of some peculiar class of men distinguished for their virtues or proficiency in their calling. True to this characteristic the projectors of the new society cast about them for a name. Battling against the most liberal political power of the old world, and yet contending in their struggle for still more advanced and liberal principles, they could not look to those countries whose institutions and habits were either eulogistic or commemorative of monarchical forms of government for a name. And although they were somewhat inured to martial life, and, as the sequel will show, willing to borrow to some extent military titles by which to designate their officers, still, being conscious of the tendency of military rule towards despotism, they appeared unwilling to look to that system to furnish them with an appropriate name for their new society. But there was in their own country a people, who were "native and to the manor born," whose proud hearts could suffer death, but could not be enslaved; whose inherent love of liberty placed them pre-eminently in the foremost rank of freemen; whose unswerving regard for truth rendered them, in the exercise of this virtue, worthy of imitation, even by civilized men; whose disinterested and unbounded hospitality was unsurpassed by any people; whose devoted friendship was proverbial; and, above all, whose veneration and love for the Great Spirit is at once the wonder and admiration of all familiar with their history. The virtues, customs, and antiquities of this rustic people were not only suggestive to the soldiers of Fort Mifflin of a significant and appropriate name for their new organization, but was the fruitful source from which might be drawn

a ritual, or symbolic work, unequalled for its enchanting quaintness, and the richness of its moral grandeur. The conception of the name itself was the culmination of a grand idea, for it unfolds to the mental vision of the contemplative brother, in one view, the broad and expansive field of American Antiquities, and links the present with the past. Hence, we find the new *friendly* society announced as the ORDER OF RED MEN.

The chief officer of the Order was called "Generalissimo," who was assisted in the administration of business by major-generals, colonels, lieutenant-colonels, and aids. But other names were also applied to them, which were selected from an Indian vocabulary, and which, though of less pretention, were appropriate and significant. Each new initiate, as he was inducted into their mysteries, was, after the manner of the Indians when adopting a captive, invested with a "new name," by which he was ever afterwards known within the charmed circle of the brotherhood.

To what degree of perfection they had thus early attained in their ceremonial, or how comprehensive its scope, we are, at this distance of time, unable to determine with any great degree of accuracy. We know, however, from the broken details which have reached us; from the detached paragraphs which have been preserved, and from the ancient mottoes and injunctions yet extant, that its object was patriotic, and its principles lofty and ennobling.

"Red Men administer no oaths binding you to any political or religious creed; they bind neither your hands nor your feet. As you enter their wigwam, so you depart, a *free* man," was the soul-stirring injunction impressed upon the mind of the new initiate as he passed the "wicket." But before he could penetrate thus far, it was incumbent on him to satisfy them that he was "a citizen; of good moral character; of uniform and correct political principles, and well entitled to a seat in the wigwam," and that he was not an owner or overseer of slaves. The quotation here given, from an early report on the qualification of an applicant for membership, is no contradiction to the injunction imposed upon the candidate at his admission, as given above, since the objects of the organization were not political in any narrow or party sense. It is true, the Order was national or American in its purposes; it was committed to freedom; but it aimed also to assuage political animosity and party strife, as already shown; and we are assured that in a comparatively brief period after it began operation, a marked change was observable in the tone and temper of the garrison.

No longer separated by the "hydra of party," they were rapidly inducting into their quaint rites candidates alike from the war and anti-war parties, who met within the common circle of brotherhood, and standing upon the broad platform of fraternity, clasped hands across the rustic altar, and, in the half azure, half saffron light of the burning Council fire, pledged themselves to *Freedom, Friendship,* and *Charity.*

At the close of the war the Council fire was necessarily "quenched;" the garrison dispersed, and the volunteers returned to their homes. But recollections of the past; the trials endured in a common cause; the friendships formed amid the monotonous rounds of garrison duty; the charms of an association so patriotic in its origin and purpose, and which had relieved so many dreary hours of garrison life, with the natural desire of perpetuating an institution which had been productive of so much good, were so many incentives to revive the Order, and thus renew fraternal relations with each other. Accordingly, some of the brethren residing in Philadelphia, after consultation, inserted a "call" in the public papers of that city for a council of the "Red Men," for the purpose of taking steps toward reorganizing the Order. Soon after, the desired reorganization was effected, when the former title and principles, with some slight modification, were retained, with the motto,

"Freedom our motto,
Toleration our aim,
Friendship our watchword,
Red Men our name."

It may be observed in this connection that the first organization having been effected for the specific purposes already set forth, it was at that time a purely social and friendly society; but at the reorganization here noted it was made *beneficial;* by which additional principle certain stipulated sums were provided to be paid to sick and disabled members, and to be drawn from a common fund, accumulated by the payment of fixed dues by the brethren. In addition to this, the dead were to be buried, and the widow and the orphan cared for and protected.

It was also determined upon to extend the Order, which involved a division into Tribes, by which name the subordinate branches were to be known; as well as the alteration, or rather total abrogation of what might be termed one of its proscriptive features, in order to adapt it for extension into those States wherein existed the "peculiar institution."

Under a commission issued by the Generalissimo at Philadelphia, the Order was taken to Baltimore by one of the major-generals, brother Richard Marley, where a Tribe was organized in the month of June, 1820. This Tribe existed for about three years, with varying success, having attained at one time upwards of one hundred members. Through indifference and neglect it began to diminish, and finally ceased operations.

Again, in the year 1833, a commission was issued in Philadelphia, by Generalissimo Knor, under which another Tribe was organized at Fell's Point, where it existed for a long time, with considerable success; but it finally dwindled down to a very few members.

In the meantime, however, some progress had been made by the Order in Pennsylvania. Tribes had been organized in Philadelphia and vicinity. One, which had attained considerable prosperity, held its councils in Letitia Court; another on Bush Hill, and still another at Nicetown. Tribes had also been established in the interior; one at Reading, one at Lancaster, and still later, one at Pottsville.

The bond of union, or connection between these several Tribes, seems not to have been as closely maintained as could have been desired; for there is no doubt that, though the Tribes in Philadelphia and vicinity subsequently ceased to exist, the Order in Pennsylvania nevertheless maintained an uninterrupted existence, (but apparently without a knowledge of the efforts which had been made to establish it in Baltimore,) until long after the institution of the present Great Council of Pennsylvania.

On examining into the cause of the ill success attending the efforts to establish the Order in Baltimore, the candid inquirer is compelled to acknowledge that too little attention had been paid to the habits of persons admitted to membership; so that it finally became little better than a band of convivialists. For, at the period of which we now speak, we find a number of the old members, who loved the Order for its associations, determined upon effecting a thorough and radical reformation of it. But they appear to have proceeded in their commendable work without being aware of its existence elsewhere.

On the 20th of May, 1835, the Past Chiefs and Representatives, chosen for the purpose by the old Tribe of Maryland, assembled in Thames Street, Fell's Point, for the purpose above indicated; and in order to shield themselves from the odium which had attached to the old organization, they deemed it necessary to prefix the qualifying word "Improved" to the original name, and hence the title as it now stands, the

But not only was this addition made to the name of the Order, but other radical organic changes were effected, among which may be mentioned the total abolition of the military titles for the officers.

The body thus reorganized, and composed of members of the former organization, assumed the title and authority of the "*Grand* Council of Maryland, and of the United States;" and from this body, and its lawful successors, have emanated the various Tribes and State Great Councils now extending from the Atlantic Coast to the golden shores of the Pacific.

It will not be altogether foreign to the purpose of this paper to state here, that Metamora Tribe, No. 4, subsequently chartered by the Great Council of Maryland, owing to some disagreement between them, and being unable to settle it, finally rebelled against the superior body, when a separation took place. Metamora Tribe thereupon assumed the title of "United Order of Red Men," and has since entered into affiliation with a few discontented Tribes in Pennsylvania, which also seceded from the Improved Order. They do not, however, materially interfere with each other; the so called *United* or *Independent Order* (for it is known beyond the limits of its own councils by both names,) being local, and confined for its membership exclusively to those speaking the German language; whilst the Improved Order is cosmopolitan in its character, embracing in its field of operations all languages, kindreds, and tongues.

Since the period of the reorganization, many and important changes have been made in its constitution and laws. Its Ritual, keeping in view its historical associations, has been entirely remodelled; being reduced to a more perfect system, elaborating the sublime idea of the brotherhood of man, and enshrouding in thoughtful symbols, and more impressive rites, its great truths, which are the more indelibly stamped upon the mind of the aspirants by reason of the singular fascination and deep solemnity of the strange surroundings. It is now proclaimed to the world with all the inducements and advantages of a benevolent and charitable affiliation; purely American in origin, and in all its details, without being proscriptive. Around its emblematic Council fires, he who possesses a kind heart, and delights in doing good, may find congenial association, and commingle with kindred spirits in the performance of those kindly offices of charity which elevate the soul, and renders man nearer and more like the image of his infinite Cre-

ator; where those pleasing and instructive ceremonies through which he is inducted to the higher "mysteries" of the Order, amid the wild fascinations of the sylvan scene, seem invested with an almost wierd awe, forming as it were the connecting link between the spirits of the departed children of the forest and the *pale faced* Red Men of the present time; where his American sensibilities may not be shocked by the paraphernalia and show of regal pomp, nor his hearing offended by the high sounding titles and mimicry of the hollow aristocracies, or more heartless despotisms of the Old World.

But we have reached the limits prescribed for this paper, and enough has been said to fulfil the purpose for which it is intended. It remains, therefore, only to supply a few hints for the guidance of those who may feel disposed to make a closer acquaintance with the Order by connecting themselves with it. The indispensibles, then, are a belief in the existence of the Great Spirit; a good moral character, and sound bodily and mental health. With these qualifications, the applicant need find but little difficulty in being "adopted" by a Tribe. But should he reside in a locality where no Tribe exists, and feel inclined to have one organized, he can proceed in the following manner. First prepare a petition in the subjoined form:

To the Great Sachem, Chiefs and Members of the Great Council of Pennsylvania, Improved Order of Red Men:

The undersigned members of the Order (*or pale faces*), residing in ——, respectfully petition your Worthy Body to grant them a Charter to establish a Tribe of the Improved Order of Red Men, to be located in ——. The said Tribe to be known as ——, No. —, of the Improved Order of Red Men, and under your jurisdiction.

Inclosed is the Charter fee—$25.

Signed by the Petitioners.

The blanks in this petition must be properly filled. The name selected should be that of some aboriginal tribe. The number will be supplied by the Great Council. The petition must then be signed by at least ten respectable citizens, qualified as above specified, and forwarded to the Great Sachem, or Great Chief of Records. In due time the petitioners will receive notice of the disposition made of the petition. If not granted the fee will be returned. In the meantime the petitioners may arrange the necessary preliminary business, so as to have as little delay as possible on the arrival of the Great

Chiefs to institute the Tribe. The Chiefs (as the officers are termed) may be selected at an informal meeting, so that they can be nominated and elected at once. The room in which the wigwam is to be located should be entirely private, and secure from intrusion. Not more than twenty candidates can be admitted on the same sleep or council.

The above directions are sufficiently explicit to enable the intelligent applicant how to proceed, either in joining a Tribe, or in the formation of a new one; but one admonition may be added: be sure to select none but the very best men, in whose probity and honor reliance can be placed. A disregard of this may prove the ruination of the best Tribe.

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